Calcutta.—No 5195A—9th November 1944—Mr. J N Talukdar, I C S, Additional Director of Civil Supplies, Bengal, and *ex-officio* Additional Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Department of Civil Supplies, is allowed leave on average pay, under rule 81(*b*)(*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for the period from the 19th October to the 30th December 1944, inclusive

Calcutta. No 5201A - 9th November 1944 - Mr B B Sarkar, I C S, Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Communications and Works and Publicity Departments, was granted leave on average pay for one day on the 1st November 1944, under rule 81(*b*)(*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules

Bogra. No 5205A 10th November 1944 - Mr Ali Asghar, I C S, officiating Magistrate and Collector, Bogra is allowed leave on average pay, under rule 81(*b*)(*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, for the period from the 13th November 1944 to the 1st December 1944, inclusive

Police

No 5190A 8th November 1944—The orders contained in notification No 1786A, dated the 21st September 1944, regarding the grant of leave to Mr A Z Obaidullah, I P, are cancelled

By order of the Governor,

H S E STEVENS, Secy

Constitution and Elections

NOTIFICATIONS

No 1246AR 7th November 1944 -Babu Pratulla Kumar Banerjee, an Upper Division Assistant of the Bengal Legislative Council Department, is appointed temporarily to act as Registrar of that department, *vice* Mr T M Paul, granted leave

By order of the Governor,

E B H BAKER, Addl Secy

No 1279AR 14th November 1944 In pursuance of the provisions of sub-rule (*7*) of rule 8 of the Bengal Legislative Assembly Electoral (Conduct of Elections) Rules, 1936, the following declaration containing the name of the candidate elected by the Nilphamari (Rural) Muhammadan Constituency is published for general information

By order of the Governor,

E B H BAKER, Addl Secy

Bengal Legislative Assembly.

Nilphamari (Rural) Muhammadan Constituency.

Under the provisions of rule 8(2) of the Bengal Legislative Assembly Electoral (Conduct of Elections) Rules, 1936 I declare that A F Rahaman of Jalpaiguri has been duly elected to fill the seat in the Nilphamari (Rural) Muhammadan Constituency of the Bengal Legislative Assembly

M TAHER, Returning Officer

Dated the 4th November 1944

Defence

NOTIFICATIONS

No 10530Def 7th November 1944—In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Air Raid Precautions Services Ordinance, 1941 (Ordinance No IV of 1941), and in partial modification of notification No 3439Def, dated the 8th April 1944, the Governor is pleased to appoint Mr U K Ghosal, I C S, Deputy A R P Controller, Calcutta, to act in addition to his own duties as the Controller of the Air Raid Precautions Services constituted under notification No 9415P, dated the 9th December 1941, during the period of absence, on leave, of Mr S K Dey, I C S, from the 12th November 1944 to the 28th November 1944, both days inclusive

No 10531Def—7th November 1944—Mr S K Dey, I C S, Controller, A R P, Calcutta, is granted leave on average pay, under Fundamental Rule 81(*b*)(*ii*) for thirteen days, with effect from the 13th November 1944

By order of the Governor,

W H SAUMAREZ SMITH, Addl Dy Secy

No 10550Def—7th November 1944 In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*iii*) of the Government of India, Home Department notification No 9/3/44Poll, dated the 15th August 1944, the Governor is pleased to specify every Superintendent of Police in the Chittagong Division to be the Authority for the purpose of issuing permits referred to in the said clause in respect of the area within his jurisdiction

By order of the Governor,

E B H BAKER, Addl Secy

No 10511Def 7th November 1944—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clause (*1*) of clause 11 of the Civil Pioneer Force Rules 1942, read with the Central Government notification No TRA-1092(3) dated the 21st March 1942 the Governor is pleased to grant to the undermentioned Commissioned Officers of the Civil Pioneer Force, Bengal earned leave on average pay for the periods noted against each -

(1) Commandant Jyotirmoy Sen Gupta for thirty days from 18th September 1944 to 17th October 1944, inclusive

(2) Lieutenant Akhteruddin Ahmed for thirty-five days from the 16th July 1944 to 19th August 1944, inclusive

(3) 2nd Lieutenant Mirza Moslemuddin Ahmed for twenty days from the 10th August 1944 to the 29th August 1944, inclusive

(4) 2nd Lieutenant Mohammad Osman for forty-five days from the 1st August 1944 to 14th September 1944, inclusive

No 10519Def—7th November 1944 -Administrative Officer Muhammad Hyder Ali of the Civil Pioneer Force, Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for six weeks, with effect from the 18th August 1944, under rule 184(*b*)(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I

No 10520Def—7th November 1944—Administrative Officer Narendra Lochan Bhattacharja of the Civil Pioneer Force, Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for six weeks, with effect from the 3rd October 1944, under rule 184(*b*)(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I

No 10521Def - 7th November 1944—Administrative Officer Arun Kumar Roy of the Civil Pioneer Force, Bengal, is allowed earned leave for fifty-five days, with effect from the 19th July 1944, under rule 166 of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I.

No 10560Def—8th November 1944—In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clause (*1*) of clause 5 of the Civil Pioneer Force Regulations, 1942 read with the Central Government notification No TRA-1092(3), dated the 21st March 1942, the Governor is pleased to make the following transfers of the Commissioned Officers of the Civil Pioneer Force, Bengal—

(1) Commandant Kazi Sakhawat Hussain is transferred from the 9th Unit to the 7th Unit.

(2) Commandant Tashmuddin Ahmad Quadery is transferred from the 7th Unit to the 9th Unit

(3) Captain Abbas Mirza is transferred from the 11th Unit to the 9th Unit

No 10591Def —9th November 1944 —In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clauses (*4*) and (*6*) of clause 11 of the Civil Pioneer Force Rules, 1942, read with the Central Government notification No TRA-1092(3), dated the 21st March 1942, the Governor is pleased to grant to the Administrative Officer Muhammad Nurul Huq of the Civil Pioneer Force, Bengal leave for fifty days from the 23rd March 1944, namely, earned leave on average pay for fifteen days and sick leave on half average pay for the remaining period

No 10592Def 9th November 1944 In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clause (*5*) of clause 11 of the Civil Pioneer Force Rules, 1942, read with the Central Government notification No TRA-1092(3), dated the 21st March 1942, the Governor is pleased to grant to the Administrative Officer Abdus Sobhan of the Civil Pioneer Force, Bengal, extraordinary leave without pay for five days, with effect from the 22nd to the 26th October 1944, inclusive

No 10593Def 9th November 1944 In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clause (*4*) of clause 11 of the Civil Pioneer Force Rules 1942 read with the Central Government notification No TRA-1092(3), dated the 21st March 1942, the Governor is pleased to grant to the Administrative Officer Anwaruddin Ahmed of the Civil Pioneer Force Bengal, earned leave for forty-five days, with effect from the 21st September 1944

No 10594Def 9th November 1944 In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clause (*1*) of clause 5 of the Civil Pioneer Force Regulations, 1942, read with the Central Government notification No TRA-1092(3) dated the 21st March 1942, the Governor is pleased to make the following transfers of the Commissioned Officers of the Civil Pioneer Force, Bengal —

(1) 2nd Lieutenant M A Y Tashmuddin Ahmad from the 2nd Unit to the 6th Unit

(2) 2nd Lieutenant Naziruddin Ahmad from the Pool of Sickness and Leave Reserve to the 2nd Unit

(3) Lieutenant Atindra Chandra Bhaumik from the 10th Unit to the 3rd Unit

(4) Lieutenant Purnendu Dutta from the 3rd Unit to the Depot Unit

(5) Lieutenant Salimuddin Ahmad from the 9th Unit to the 1st Unit

(6) Lieutenant Akhteruddin Ahmad from the 1st Unit to the 9th Unit

No 10595Def - 9th November 1944 In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clause (*1*) of clause 5 of the Civil Pioneer Force Regulations, 1942, read with the Central Government notification No TRA-1092(3), dated the 21st March 1942, the Governor is pleased to make the following transfers and postings of the Administrative Officers of the Civil Pioneer Force, Bengal —

(1) Babu Gispati Prasanna Biswas to the 5th Unit.

(2) Maulvi Muhammad Habibul Huq from the 10th to the 8th Unit

(3) Maulvi Shaikh Jaffar Ali from the 10th to the 7th Unit

(4) Maulvi Muhammad Nurul Huq from the 7th to the Depot Unit

(5) Babu Pran Nath Mandal from the 11th to the 7th Unit

(6) Babu Chuni Lal Haldar from the Depot to the 7th Unit.

(7) and (8) Maulvi Abdul Wadud and Maulvi Abdul Malek from the 7th to the Depot Unit

(9) Maulvi Muhammad Abdul Quader from the 11th to the Depot Unit

(10) Maulvi Abdus Sobhan from the 10th to the Depot Unit

By order of the Governor,
P D MARTYN, Addl Secy

Political

NOTIFICATION

No 5642P 8th November 1944 In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 92 of the Government of India Act, 1935, the Governor is pleased to direct that the Army (Provision for Dependants) Ordinance, 1944 (Ordinance XXX of 1944) shall apply to the Darjeeling district and to the partially excluded areas of the Mymensingh district with effect from the date of publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*, subject to the following modifications, namely

(*1*) that in sub-section (*2*) of section 2 of the said Ordinance for the words commencement of this Ordinance the words "application of this Ordinance to the Darjeeling district in Bengal and to the partially excluded areas of the Mymensingh district in Bengal shall be substituted, and

(*2*) that in sub-section (*2*) of new section 52B of the Indian Army Act, 1911 as inserted by section 3 of the said Ordinance, for the words, brackets and figures commencement of the Army (Provision for Dependants) Ordinance 1944 (XXX of 1944) the words brackets and figures application of the Army (Provision for Dependants) Ordinance 1944 (XXX of 1944) to the Darjeeling district in Bengal and to the partially excluded areas of the Mymensingh district in Bengal shall be substituted

By order of the Governor,
P D MARTYN, Addl Secy

Transport

NOTIFICATION

No 6515T 8th November 1944 In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*d*) of sub-section (*2*) of section 91 of the Motor Vehicles Act 1939 (IV of 1939), the Governor is pleased to make the following amendment in the Bengal Motor Vehicles Rules, 1940 published under notification No 1930PI, dated the 21st September 1940, at pages 2655-2829, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 10th October 1940

Amendment.

After rule 200 of the said rules, *insert* the following

"Special Rules applicable to Air Raid Precautions, Civil Defence and Central Public Works Department Vehicles.

200A The provisions of sub-section (*1*) of section 86 of the Act shall not apply to vehicles owned either by the Provincial Government and used solely for Air Raid Precautions work and Civil Defence purposes or by the Central Government and used by the Public Works Department of that Government

Provided that the drivers of such vehicles shall carry with them and shall, on demand by any police officer in uniform, produce their warrant of appointment or identification slip upon which the number of their driving licence shall be endorsed and signed by the licensing authority together with such other particulars as that authority may think fit "

By order of the Governor,
E B. H BAKER, Addl Secy

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

No 5242A

Powers.

Midnapore. No 5180A—8th November 1944—Babu Anil Kumar Bhattacharji, Deputy Magistrate, Contai, Midnapore, is vested with the power to try summarily the offences mentioned in section 260 of the Code of Criminal Procedure

By order of the Governor,
H S E STEVENS, Secy

JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENTS

Judicial

Appointments and Transfers.

24-Parganas.—No 3611J—31st October 1944—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased

(*a*) to confer upon Khan Sahib S' Zoha the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24 Parganas, for a period of three months from the date of this notification,

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Palta bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Hooghly.—No 3593J—11th November 1944—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Provash Chandra Mukherji the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Hooghly, for a period of three months from the date of this notification in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Serampore subdivision of the said district,

(*b*) to direct that he shall in addition to sitting singly sit as a member of the Serampore bench in the said district and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Jessore-Khulna.—No 3646J—11th November 1944—Babu Charu Chandra Ganguli officiating Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge under orders of transfer as Additional Subordinate Judge, Jessore-Khulna to Jessore, is appointed Assistant Sessions Judge of Jessore

Calcutta.—No 3651J—11th November 1944—In exercise of the power conferred by section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1898 (Act V of 1898) the Governor is pleased to appoint Mr Sovendra Nath Ghosh to be a Presidency Magistrate in Calcutta for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to empower him to sit singly as a Presidency Magistrate

Calcutta.—No 3652J—11th November 1944—In exercise of the power conferred by section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1898 (Act V of 1898) the Governor is pleased to appoint Dr H Rahim to be a Presidency Magistrate in Calcutta for a period of three years from the date of this notification and to empower him to sit singly as a Presidency Magistrate

24-Parganas.—No 3598J—11th November 1944—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Chandi Charan Ganguli the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three months from the 18th November 1944, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the South Suburban Independent bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

24-Parganas.—No 3599J—11th November 1944—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Amir Ali the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three months from the 18th December 1944,

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Baranagore bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Hooghly.—No 3600J—11th November 1944—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Abdul Wahab the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Hooghly, for a period of three months from the 19th November 1944, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Arambagh subdivision of the said district

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly sit as a member of the Arambagh bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

24-Parganas.—No 3601J—11th November 1944—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased,

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Bazlur Rahman the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three months from the 19th November 1944, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district including South suburbs of Calcutta,

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly sit as a member of the Alipore bench in the said district and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

24-Parganas.—No 3602J—11th November 1944—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Muhammad Shariatullah the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three months from the 20th November 1944,

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Taki bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Bogra.—No 3603J—11th November 1944—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Hem Chandra Ghatak the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Bogra, for a period of three months

from the 20th November 1944, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Calcutta.—No 3604J —11th November 1944 — In exercise of the power conferred by section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased to appoint Mr Naranath Mukherji to be a Presidency Magistrate in Calcutta for a period of three months from the 20th November 1944 and to empower him to sit singly as a Presidency Magistrate

Calcutta.—No 3606J —11th November 1944 — In exercise of the power conferred by section 18 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased to appoint Babu Nirmal Chandra Law to be a Presidency Magistrate in Calcutta for a period of three months from the 20th November 1944 and to empower him to sit singly as a Presidency Magistrate

Hooghly.—No 3607J -11th November 1944 — In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Akshay Kumar Mukherji the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Hooghly for a period of three months from the 22nd November 1944,

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Bhadreswar bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Howrah.—No 3608J --11th November 1944 — In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898) the Governor is pleased —

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Gostha Behari Das the powers of a Magistrate of the third class in the district of Howrah, for a period of three months from the 22nd November 1944,

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Amta bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

24-Parganas.—No 3609J --11th November 1944 —In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Mr Bimal Chandra Ghosh the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of the 24-Parganas, for a period of three months from the 22nd November 1944, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district including South suburbs of Calcutta,

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Alipore bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Bogra.—No. 3610J —11th November 1944 —In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Maulvi Mir Abdus Samad the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Bogra, for a period of three months from the 22nd November 1944, and

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Sherpur bench in the said district

Bogra.—No 3612J —11th November 1944 —In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased—

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Kali Gopal Majumdar the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Bogra, for a period of three months from the date of this notification, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sherpur bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Burdwan.—No 3613J - 11th November 1944 - In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Prakriti Bhusan Dutta the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Burdwan, for a period of three months from the date of this notification,

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Kalna bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Birbhum.—No 3614J 11th November 1944 In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased

(*a*) to confer upon Babu Satyanarayan Banerjee the powers of a Magistrate of the third class, in the district of Birbhum, for a period of three months from the date of this notification,

(*b*) to direct him to sit as a member of the Suri bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Bogra.— No 3615J - 11th November 1944 -In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 14 and 15 and the proviso to section 357 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased

(*a*) to confer upon Dr Jogendra Chandra Chawdhury the powers of a Magistrate of the first class, in the district of Bogra, for a period of three months from the 22nd November 1944, in respect to such cases as may be made over to him within the limits of the Sadar subdivision of the said district,

(*b*) to direct that he shall, in addition to sitting singly, sit as a member of the Sadar bench in the said district, and

(*c*) to direct him to take down evidence in the English language

Leave.

Calcutta.—No. 3557J 10th November 1944 — Mr C T Moore, Administrator General and Official Trustee, Bengal, was allowed earned leave for six days from the 11th to 16th September 1944, under rule 167(*a*) of the Bengal Service Rules, read with rule 12 of the rules published with this department notification No 201J, dated the 20th January 1941

This cancels this department notification **No 2705J, dated the 18th August 1944, published at page 1057 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 24th August 1944.**

Powers.

Nadia.—No 3645J—11th November 1944—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased to confer upon Maulvi Muhammad Safdar Ali, an Honorary Magistrate of the Meherpur bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Nadia, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench—

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Meherpur subdivision of the said district

Hooghly. No 3655J - 13th November 1944—In exercise of the power conferred by section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (Act V of 1898), the Governor is pleased to confer upon Babu Rabindra Kumar Goswami, an Honorary Magistrate of the Serampore bench, the powers of a Magistrate of the second class, in the district of Hooghly, for the period during which he has been directed to sit as a member of the said bench—

(*a*) in respect to cases brought before the said bench, within the limits of the jurisdiction of the said bench, and

(*b*) in respect to such cases as may be made over to him, when sitting singly, within the limits of the Serampore subdivision of the said district

NOTIFICATIONS

24-Parganas.- No 3656J 13th November 1944 - In exercise of the power conferred under section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor is pleased to appoint the following members of the Sherpur union board in the Magrahat police-station of the Diamond Harbour subdivision of the district of the 24-Parganas, to be during their term of office as such members, a union bench, within the jurisdiction of the said union board for the purposes of that section—

Babu Sushil Kumar Mondal, Khan Bahadur Jasimuddin Ahmed, M L A Babu Haripada Mondal, Munshi Sobhan Badsha Mondal and Babu Paresh Nath Mondal

24-Parganas. - No 3657J 13th November 1944 – In exercise of the power conferred under section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the Governor is pleased to appoint the following members of the Sherpur union board in the Magrahat police-station of the Diamond Harbour subdivision of the district of the 24-Parganas to be during their term of office as such members, a union court, within the jurisdiction of the said union board for the purposes of that section—

Babu Sushil Kumar Mondal, Khan Bahadur Jasimuddin Ahmed M L A, Babu Haripada Mondal, Munshi Sobhan Badsha Mondal and Babu Paresh Nath Mondal

By order of the Governor,
H G WAIGHT, Secy

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

Audit

NOTIFICATION

No 2340F - 4th November 1944—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*b*) of sub-section (2) of section 241 of the Government of India Act, 1935, the Governor is pleased to make the following amendment in the schedule of posts included in the Bengal General Service constituted under the Government notification No. 1365F, dated the 4th June 1941, namely—

Amendment.

Insert the following additional entries under the head "VI—Finance Department", namely:—

"87A Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Bengal

87B Personal Assistant to the Commissioner of Agricultural Income-tax, Bengal"

Taxation

NOTIFICATION

No 433F T—8th November 1944—In exercise of the power conferred by section 26 of the Bengal Finance (Sales Tax) Act, 1941 (Bengal Act VI of 1941), the Governor is pleased to make the following amendment in the Bengal Sales Tax Rules, 1941, as subsequently amended, namely—

Amendment.

To clause (*a*) of rule 3A of the said rules as inserted by notification No 1137F, dated the 11th May 1942, *add* the following, namely—

"38 Deputy Director of Transportation, Calcutta"

Budget

NOTIFICATION

No 23156F B—7th November 1944—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 151 of the Government of India Act 1935, and in continuation of Finance Department notification No 3170-F, dated the 23rd December 1943, as amended by Finance Department notification No 66F, dated the 11th January 1944, the Governor is pleased to make the following rules as exceptions to the Treasury Rules, Bengal, made thereunder, namely—

Rules.

1 Notwithstanding anything contained in the Treasury Rules, Bengal, the amount received from the Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, as cash credit advance to finance all food procurement operations during 1944-45 shall not be paid into the Treasury or the Bank as defined in clause (*c*) and clause (*d*) respectively of rule 2 of the said rules, but shall be held in a current account in the Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, to be operated upon by the Controller of Finance in the Civil Supplies Department of the Government of Bengal

2 The said Controller shall furnish, through the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, in the Finance Department, a statement of Cash Credit Advances from, and repayments made to, the Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, not later than the 10th of the month following that to which the transactions relate, duly verified by the Imperial Bank of India, Calcutta, to the Accountant-General, Bengal, in such detail as the said Accountant-General may prescribe to enable him to carry out the necessary adjustment in his books to incorporate the transactions in the Public Account

By order of the Governor,
B N. CHAKRAVARTY, Secy.

COMMERCIAL TAX DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

No 8463C T —11th November 1944 —In pursuance of the provisions of sub-rule (2) of rule 6 of the Bengal Sales Tax Rules, the names and addresses of the following dealers together with a description of the goods to be covered by their registration certificates for the purpose of section 5(2)(a)(ii) of the Bengal Finance (Sales Tax) Act are hereby published Their registration will take effect from 16th December 1944 :—

	Name and address of the dealer	Goods for use in manufacture	Goods for resale
1	Messrs Waznabi Sarker, Shaheb Bazar, Rajshahi Branch at Saheb bazar, Rajshahi	. .	Cotton cloth, silk cloth, chaddar, gunny bags, chhits lungi woollen goods, shirtings and coatings
2	Messrs Ramchandra Keshrichand 4, Doyehatta Street, Calcutta		Cloth and iron goods
3	Messrs Ganesh Das Periwal P 21, Kalakar Street, Calcutta		Dhuti sari and all other kinds of cloth
4	Messrs Monoranjan Mridha Bagerhat Khulna		Standard cloth mill-made cloth
5	Messrs N G Majumdar, Contractor Jessore	Coal and any other raw materials when certified by the purchasing dealer to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of bricks for sale	Cement sand coal steel and iron materials, hardwares timber machineries, furniture, metal rope paint varnish and all other general merchandise as and when required
6	Messrs Dilkhosh Bastralaya Khulna Bazar Khulna		Sari dhuti lungi, chhit for shirting, coating, chaddar
7	Messrs Jessore Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd Jessore town		Textile goods iron goods paper
8	Messrs, Safakat Hossain, Badarganj, Rangpur		Handloom cloth and handloom napkin
9	Messrs Deochand Bothra Bhurangamari Rangpur		Cloth paddy rice jute mustard seeds, oil cake, silver gold bason, empty bags
10	Messrs Shikarpur Tea Estate and Bhandapur Tea Estate Belacoba Jalpaiguri	Plant machinery spare parts, accessories and consumable stores (2) building or plumbing materials or fixtures required for construction fitting out or repair of any building when certified by the purchasing dealer to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of tea for sale	
11	Messrs Shikarpur Saw Mill, Shikarpur post office Belacoba Jalpaiguri	Logs and any other raw materials (2) plant machinery spare parts accessories and consumable stores (3) building or plumbing materials or fixtures required for construction fitting out or repair of any building when certified by the purchasing dealer to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of sleepers and sawn timbers for sale	Logs and scantlings
12	Messrs Mahabir Collieries Ltd 178 Harrison Road Calcutta	Raw materials, plant machineries, spare parts accessories and consumable stores when certified by the purchasing dealer to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of coal and coke for sale	
13	Messrs Arjundas Motilal 208 Harrison Road Calcutta		Piece goods
14	Messrs Akhil Bandhu Ghose and Son 126 Shobha Bazar Street Calcutta Additional places of business (1) post office Tangail district Mymensingh and (2) post office Deobata district Mymensingh	Hemp linseed timber and (1) any other raw materials (2) plant machinery spare parts accessories and consumable stores (3) building or plumbing materials or fixtures required for construction fitting out or repair of any building when certified by the purchasing dealer to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of camouflage nets and boats for sale	Piecegoods saris dhutis foodstuff, dal, coconut oil mustard oil spices yarn jute kerosene corrugated sheets iron rods
15	Messrs Manmchand Mohabir Prosad 70 Mullick Street, Calcutta		Kirana oil textile bullion hardware, stationery, cloth and general merchandise as and when required and certified by the purchasing dealer for resale
16	Messrs Holiday Inn 15 Chowringhee, Calcutta	Raw foodstuffs butter rice, cheese oil ghee dal flour when certified to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of cooked food, ice cream, cakes pastries tea and coffee for sal	Cakes pastries squashes fresh fruits minerals, chocolates
17	Messrs Mullick Bazar Fancy Cloth Stores, 15 Lower Circular Road Calcutta		Cotton cloth mill made cotton cloth, handloom woven silk cloth
18	Messrs Dibakar Chatterjee and Co 2 Harrison Road Calcutta		Soap cigarettes matches candles and stationery goods
19	Messrs Surgical Instrument Works 61A Mirzapur Street Calcutta		Rubber tube hot water bags glass funnel glass slides
20	Messrs Moti Stores 90 Lower Chitpur Road Calcutta		Cloth and textiles
21	Messrs Radheyshyam Toshniwal, 158 Cross Street Calcutta		Piecegoods
22	Messrs Hanumanmal Dungarmal 180 Cross Street Calcutta		Piecegoods
23	Messrs Ratilal Patel and Co 17 Armenian Street, Calcutta		Biri biri tobacco biri leaves thread hessian and jute bags
24	Messrs Gopikissen and Co 208 Cross Street Calcutta		Dhuti sari and all other kinds of cloth
25	Messrs R P and Co 152 Harrison Road Calcutta		Biri biri tobacco biri leaves, thread hessian and jute bags
26	Messrs Manubhai and Bhailalbhai Patel 18, Armenian Street Calcutta		Biri leaves biri tobacco thread, hessian and jute bags
27	Messrs P C Ganguly 21, Royd Street Calcutta	Bolts nuts screws iron hooks springs angles black sheet paints varnishes and any other raw materials certified by the purchasing dealer to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of steel furniture for sale	
28	Messrs Mitra and Co 6/1 Lansdowne Road Calcutta	Metals tools oils any other raw materials plant machinery spare parts accessories consumable stores certified by the purchasing dealer to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of Aeronautical spares and all sorts of engineering goods for sale	Electrical goods glassware
29	Messrs Malabar Trading Co 1 Tiretta bazar Street Calcutta		Dry fish
30	Messrs R H Sinha and Co 37 Ezra Street Calcutta		Electrical goods fittings and appliances
31	Messrs Kader Sham and Co 57 Lower Chitpur Road Calcutta		Handloom woven cotton lungi cloth
32	Messrs East India Trading Corporation 1, Gangadhar Babu Lane, Calcutta	Yarn cloth chemicals coal fuel oil lubricating oil and any other raw materials plant, machinery spare parts accessories and consumable stores, certified by the purchasing dealer to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of textile goods, metal wares wooden goods and hosiery goods for sale	Tailored goods of all description coal mill stores, chemicals machinery and spare parts metal wares wooden and leather goods
33.	Messrs Eastern Mercantile Corporation, 1, Gangadhar Babu Lane, Calcutta	Mill stores, chemicals coal, coke, lubricating oil wood metal, leather, textile of all descriptions yarn shirting silk and woollen shirting and any other raw materials plant machinery spare parts accessories and consumable stores certified by the purchasing dealer to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of textile goods, metal wares, wooden furniture, for sale	Coal coke mill stores, chemicals finished wooden goods leather and leather goods, metal and finished metal goods
34.	Messrs. Kamala Hosiery Mills 1, Gangadhar Babu Lane, Calcutta	Chemicals, fuel oil lubricating oil, cotton woollen and silk yarn, coal and packing boxes margwood and pest board and any other raw materials, plant, machinery, spare parts, accessories and consumable stores certified by the purchasing dealer to be required for use in any process in the manufacture of hosiery goods for sale	Cotton woollen and silk manufactured goods, coal mill stores, chemicals, yarn cotton, wool, silk labels and locks

M M BASU,
Commissioner, Commercial Taxes, Bengal.

Orders by the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Bengal.

No 8309C T – 7th November 1944 —Maulvi Masud-uz-zaman, Commercial Tax Officer, Beadon Street, District I charge, Calcutta, is allowed earned leave for seven days from 18th October 1944 to 24th October 1944, under rule 167*(a)* of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I

No 8350C T —8th November 1944 —Maulvi Abul Quasem, Additional Commercial Tax Officer, Sealdah charge, Calcutta, is allowed earned leave for two days, with effect from 3rd October 1944 in terms of rule 167*(a)* of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I

No 8352C T -8th November 1944 —Babu Nikhilesh Chandra Biswas Commercial Tax Officer, Canning Street, District III charge, Calcutta, is allowed earned leave for twelve days, with effect from 3rd October 1944 to 14th October 1944, under rule 167*(a)* of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I

M M BASU, Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT

NOTIFICATION

24-Parganas. No 1821M 14th November 1944 – It is hereby notified under section 50 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1932 (Bengal Act XV of 1932), that the following gentlemen have been elected as Commissioners of the Baruipore Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas at the general election held on the 22nd March 1943

Ward No I Babu Sailendra Kumar Raichoudhury and Babu Sasanka Deb Chattopadhyaya

Ward No II Babu Sachindra Kumar Raichoudhuri

Ward No III Babu Sailendra Kumar Raichoudhuri

Ward No. IV Babu Kalidas Saha

Ward No. V- Babu Anil Kumar Raichoudhuri

Ward No VI Babu Ajit Kumar Banerjee

Special Ward- Maulvi Najiman Nasker

2 Under section 16 of the Act the Governor is pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Commissioners of the said municipality

Babu Sashindra Kumar Roy Choudhury and Maulvi Kazi Syed Md Yakub

CORRIGENDUM

24-Parganas. — No 1822M 14th November 1944 From notification No 1724M, dated the 3rd November 1944, publishing the names of Commissioners of the Bashirhat Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas at pages 1346-1347 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 9th November 1944, *omit* the following

"Ward No VII Babu Bhabesh Chandra Mazumdar "

By order of the Governor,

E W HOLLAND, Secy

Medical

NOTIFICATIONS

Calcutta. —No 2902Medl – 3rd November 1944 —Dr Md Katiluddin, Clinical Pathologist, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, is granted earned leave for eight days from 11th September 1944, under rule 168*(1)* of the Bengal Service Rules

Dinajpur.—No 2925Medl -4th November 1944 – The appointment of the following gentlemen as members of the Managing Committee of the Thakurgaon Homeopathic Charitable Dispensary in the district of Dinajpur is notified for general information –

(1) The Subdivisional Officer, Thakurgaon, Chairman (*ex-officio*).

(2) Babu Suresh Chandra Chakravarty, M A (Secretary)

(3) Maulvi Jamaluddin Ahmed, B A , B L

(4) Maulvi Mirza Fazlul Karim.

(5) Babu Benode Behari Roy

(6) Medical Officer of the Dispensary (*ex-officio*)

(7) Maulvi Peer Mahammed Chaudhury

(8) Maulvi Mahammed Keramat Ali

(9) Babu Tara Nath Roy Choudhury, M B

(10) Babu Uma Prasad Palit, B Sc

No 2926Medl – 4th November 1944 —Dr P R. Das Gupta, Civil Surgeon, is granted leave on average pay for two months from the 1st September 1944, under the proviso to rule 184*(b)(ii)* of the Bengal Service Rules, in extension of the leave already granted to him in this department notification No 2244Medl, dated the 19th August 1944

No 2934Medl —6th November 1944 —The following draft of a notification containing proposed amendments in the rules under the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Act VI of 1914), as amended by the Bengal Medical Amendment Act, 1928 (Bengal Act III of 1928), is published for general information

2 The draft will be taken into consideration on or after the 15th January 1945, and any objection or suggestion received before that date from person or persons likely to be affected will be duly considered

Draft notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections *(1)* and *(2)* of section 33 of the Bengal Medical Act, 1914 (Bengal Act VI of 1914), as amended by the Bengal Medical (Amendment) Act, 1928 (Bengal Act III of 1928), the Governor is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules and forms published with notification No 2905Medl dated the 6th July 1935, viz —

Amendments.

For the "Proviso" part of rule 13*(1)*, *substitute* the following –

Provided that –

(a) at a general election –

(i) for an electorate under clause *(g)*, a qualified elector may nominate a maximum number of two candidates Should he nominate two candidates, one of them must be a teacher Should he nominate one candidate only, the nominee need not necessarily be a teacher

(ii) for an electorate under clause *(f)* a qualified elector may nominate a maximum number of four candidates Should he nominate four candidates, at least one of them shall be a teacher and another a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta, provided that should any of the candidates nominated combine both these special qualifications in himself, the others need not necessarily be teachers or registered practitioners practising outside Calcutta Should the qualified elector nominate three candidates at least one of them shall be either a teacher or a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta, or who combines both these special qualifications in himself. Should he nominate not more than two candidates, the nominee or nominees need not necessarily be a teacher or a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta

(iii) for an electorate under clause *(h)*, a qualified elector may nominate a maximum number of three candiates Should he nominate three candidates, at least one of them shall be a teacher and another a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta, provided that should any one of the candidates nominated combine both these special qualifications in himself, the others need not necessarily be either teachers or registered practitioners practising outside Calcutta. Should the qualified elector nominate two candidates, at least

one of them must either be a teacher or a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta, or who combines both these qualifications in himself. Should he nominate one candidate only, the candidate nominated need not necesarily be a teacher or a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta

For the existing "N B" in rule 16, *substitute* the following —

"*No B*—Change of station of practice not registered up to the date preceding the last date for receiving nomination papers, shall be disregarded"

For the words "on the date succeeding that appointed for the scrutiny of nominations", in rule 18, *substitute* the following —

"on the first working day succeeding the date appointed for the scrutiny of nominations or, where an objection is decided under sub-rule (*2*) of rule 17, on the first working day succeeding the date of such decision"

For sub-rule (*1*) of rule 19, *substitute* the following —

(*1*) (*i*) In an election under clause (*g*) of section 4, whether general or casual—

(*a*) if the election be for both the two seats and there be only one duly nominated candidate, the Returning Officer shall, without calling for a poll, declare such candidate as duly elected If in such an election the number of duly nominated candidates be two, and at least one of them be a teacher, the Returning Officer shall similarly and without calling for a poll declare both of them as duly elected

(*b*) if the election be for one seat only, and there be only one duly nominated candidate, the Returning Officer shall, without calling for a poll, declare such candidate to be duly elected, provided that either he or the sitting member in the other seat is a teacher

(*ii*) In an election under clause (*f*) or clause (*h*) of section 4, whether general or casual—

(*a*) if the election comprises the seat reserved under the *proviso* to section 4, for a practitioner practising outside Calcutta, and there be, only one duly nominated candidate who is such a practitioner, the Returning Officer shall, without calling for a poll, declare that candidate as duly elected for the purpose of the proviso

In the above event, should the number of the other duly nominated candidates, be less than the number of remaining seats for which the election is held the Returning Officer shall, without calling for a poll, declare such candidates as duly elected Should such number be equal to the number of such remaining seats, the Returning Officer shall similarly and without calling for a poll, declare these candidates as duly elected, if at least one of them, or one of the sitting members (if any) whose seat is not comprised in the election, or the member elected for the purposes of the proviso to section 4, be a teacher

(*b*) if the election does not comprise the seat reserved under the proviso to section 4 for a practitioner practising outside Calcuta, and there be a lesser number of duly nominated candidates than the number of seats for which the election is held the Returning Officer, shall, without calling for a poll, declare such candidates as duly elected Should such number be equal to the number of such seats, the Returning Officer shall similarly and without calling for a poll, declare these candidates as duly elected, if at least one of them or one of the sitting members (if any) whose seat is not comprised in the election, including any such member who is a practitioner practising outside Calcutta, is a teacher.

Number the first paragraph of rule 20 as (1), and the three paragraphs following sub-paragraph (*b*), as (*2*), (*3*) and (*4*), respectively.

For the "Proviso" part of the first paragraph of rule 20, *substitute* the following:—

"Provided that—

(*a*) at a general election—

(*i*) for an electorate under clause (*g*), a qualified elector may vote for a maximum number of two candidates Should he vote for two candidates, one of the candidates supported must be a teacher Should he vote for one candidate only, the candidate supported need not necessarily be a teacher

(*ii*) for an electorate under clause (*f*), a qualified elector may vote for a maximum number of four candidates Should he vote for four candidates, at least one of them must be a teacher and another a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta, provided that should any of the candidates supported combine both these special qualifications in himself, the others need not necessarily be either teachers or registered practitioners practising outside Calcutta Should he vote for three candidates, at least one vote must be in favour of a candidate who is either a teacher or a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta, or who combines both these special qualifications in himself Should he vote for not more than two candidates, his vote or votes need not necessarily be for a teacher or for a candidate practising outside Calcutta

(*iii*) for an electorate under clause (*h*), a qualified elector may vote for a maximum number of three candidates Should he vote for three candidates, at least one vote must be in favour of a candidate who is a teacher and another in favour of a candidate who is a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta, provided that should any one of the candidates supported combine both these special qualifications in himself, the others need not necessarily be either teachers or registered practitioners practising outside Calcutta Should he vote for two candidates, at least one of them must be either a teacher or a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta or who combines both these qualifications in himself Should he vote for one candidate only, the vote need not necessarily be for a teacher or a registered practitioner practising outside Calcutta"

For clause (*b*) in the "N B" part of rule 23(*3*), *substitute* the following —

"Change of station of practice not registered up to the date preceding the last date for receiving nomination papers, shall be disregarded"

In *Form No II*—

After item 4, *insert* a sub-paragraph as following —

"If a teacher, name of the appointment and nature of the teaching duties, *vide* rule 8(*2*)"

Insert after the portion giving the form of "Declaration by Candidate", and before the "N B" part, the following —

"*Certificate by the Head of the Institution, in case of a Teacher-candidate*

I hereby certify that the abovenamed candidate, Dr   , holds the appointment of   , in this institution   ,* and that his appointment carries with it the duty of delivering lectures/clinics independently to the students.

Or

I hereby certify that the abovenamed candidate, Dr   , is a physician or surgeon as   .   .,* in the ..   . ,Hospital which is attached to the institution   .   ,** and holds independent charge of the duties allotted to him which include delivery of clinics/lectures to the students

Principal/Superintendent

Date

of "

By order of the Governor,
E W HOLLAND, Secy

Tippera-Calcutta.—No 2940Medl —6th November 1944 —Dr M Ameen, Leader of the Mobile Surgical team at Comilla, is appointed as Additional Surgeon, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta

Rajshahi.—No 2949Medl 7th November 1944 Dr Md Refatullah, Assistant Surgeon, Sadar Hospital, Rajshahi, was appointed to act as Civil Surgeon, Rajshahi, in addition to his own duties, for the period from 25th April 1944, to 18th June 1944

Mymensingh. No 2959Medl —8th November 1944 —Dr Manindra Priya Talukdar, Teacher of Physiology and Deputy Superintendent, Lytton Medical School, Mymensingh, was appointed to act as Civil Surgeon, Mymensingh, and Superintendent of the said Medical School, in addition to his own duties, from 30th May 1944 to 22nd June 1944

Chittagong.—No 2967Medl 8th November 1944 - Dr Jamini Bhushan Banerjee, Teacher of Pathology, Chittagong Medical School, is granted leave on average pay for three months, with effect from 16th August 1944, under rules 184(*b*)(*ii*) and 188(*b*) of the Bengal Service Rules

Calcutta-Chittagong. — No 2968Medl — 8th November 1944 Dr Sk Alemuddin, Demonstrator of Pathology, Medical College, Calcutta, is appointed to act as Teacher of Pathology, Chittagong Medical School, *vice* Dr Jamini Bhushan Banerjee

By order of the Governor,
A Z KHAN, Jt Secy

Calcutta.—No 2976Medl 8th November 1944 On the expiry of his leave, Dr Bipin Behari Biswas, Civil Assistant Surgeon was placed on supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta

Calcutta-Burdwan.—No 2977Medl —8th November 1944 Dr Bipin Behari Biswas, Civil Assistant Surgeon, doing supernumerary duty at the Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, is appointed as Teacher of Midwifery, Ronaldshay Medical School Burdwan, *vice* Dr Anil Chandra Bhowmick

Burdwan-Chittagong. — No 2978Medl — 8th November 1944 -Dr Anil Chandra Bhowmick, Teacher of Midwifery, Ronaldshay Medical School Burdwan, is appointed as Teacher of Midwifery, Chittagong Medical School, *vice* Dr B B Rakshit

Chittagong-Calcutta. — No 2979Medl — 8th November 1944 Dr B B Rakshit, officiating Teacher of Midwifery, Chittagong Medical School is appointed as Anaesthetist, Presidency General Hospital Calcutta, *vice* Dr Dinabandhu Sett

By order of the Governor,
E W HOLLAND, Secy

Dacca.—No 2983Medl —9th November 1944 —Dr Munsural Rahman, M B, D O M S (Lond.), Civil Assistant Surgeon, is appointed as Deputy Superintendent Mitford Hospital, Dacca, with effect from the 15th November 1944

By order of the Governor,
A Z KHAN, Jt. Secy.

CORRIGENDUM

Dacca.- No 2966Medl —8th November 1944 —In notification No 2532Medl dated the 14th September 1944, published at page 1201 of the *Calcutta Gazette*, Part I, dated the 28th September 1944, publishing the names of members of the Managing Committee of Sakta Charitable Dispensary in the district of Dacca, *read* "(*ex-officio*)" against the name of President, Basta-Rohitpur union board and *delete* "(*ex-officio*)" against the name of Babu Dhirendra Kumar Mitra

By order of the Governor,
E W HOLLAND, Secy

Public Health

NOTIFICATION

Chittagong - Noakhali - Tippera-Jessore-Khulna-24-Parganas - Dacca - Faridpur - Bakarganj-Birbhum - Burdwan - Howrah - Bogra - Rangpur-Malda.—No 2309P H —8th November 1944 —Whereas the cholera epidemic in Chittagong, Noakhali, Tippera, Jessore, Khulna, 24-Parganas, Dacca, Faridpur, Bakarganj, Birbhum, Burdwan, Howrah, Bogra, Rangpur and Malda districts has not yet completely subsided, the temporary cholera regulations promulgated under notification No 872P H, dated 25th April 1944, will continue in force in the said districts until further notice

By order of the Governor,
A Z KHAN, Jt Secy

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS AND WORKS (COMMUNICATIONS AND BUILDINGS)

Establishment

NOTIFICATIONS

No 69 —10th November 1944 —In supersession of this department notification No 62, dated the 12th September 1944, Rai Sahib J C Guha, Executive Engineer, Suburban Division, is appointed to act as Personal Assistant to Chief Engineer, Communications and Buildings, in addition to his duties, until further orders

No 70 —11th November 1944 —Mr P C Neogi, I S E, Superintending Engineer, is appointed, until further orders, as Deputy Chief Engineer in the Communications and Buildings Branch, on being relieved of the duties of the post of Special Officer, Roads

No 71 —11th November 1944 —Mr A H Nunn, Executive Engineer, City Division, is, on being relieved of the charge of that Division, appointed to officiate as Superintending Engineer in the Bengal Senior Service of Engineers and posted as Special Officer, Roads, until further orders

No 72 —11th November 1944 —Khan Sahib Md Abdul Jabbar, officiating Executive Engineer, Air Depot (Construction) Division, Barrackpore, is transferred, in the interest of the public service, to the City Division and appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer of that Division, until further orders

No 73 —11th November 1944 —The services of Rai Sahib Narendra Nath Das, Executive Engineer, are placed at the disposal of the Home Department, with effect from 21st October 1944 (afternoon), until further orders

No 74 —11th November 1944 —Mr F H. Hogshaw, I S E. Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle, is appointed to hold charge of the Darjeeling Division in addition to his duties during the absence, on deputation, of Rai Sahib Narendra Nath Das, Executive Engineer

By order of the Governor,
B. SARKAR, Secy.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATIONS AND WORKS

Irrigation—Establishment

NOTIFICATION.

No. 75.—7th November 1944.—The Governor is pleased to sanction the creation of a temporary subdivision to be designated the Chandana Subdivision under the Khulna Division with headquarters at Rajbari, with effect from the 12th October 1944, or any subsequent date up to the 31st March 1945, for the present.

By order of the Governor,
B SARKAR, Secy

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, LABOUR AND INDUSTRIES

Commerce

NOTIFICATION

No 4141Com —10th November 1944 —In exercise of the power conferred by clause (*a*) of sub-rule (*2*) of rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules, the Governor is pleased to make the following amendments in the order published with notification No 1960Com, dated the 13th June 1944, as subsequently amended, namely —

Amendments.

(*1*) In paragraph 2 of the said Order —

(*a*) *for* clause (*a*) *substitute* the following —

"(*a*) at any time on the night of the full moon and on the five nights immediately preceding that night", and

(*b*) in clause (*b*) *for* the word "day" *substitute* the word "night"

(*2*) In sub-paragraph (*1*) of paragraph 4 of the said Order *for* the word "day" *substitute* the word "night"

By order of the Governor,
M K KIRPALANI, Secy

Industries

Orders by the Director of Industries, Bengal

No 384 —9th November 1944 —In continuation of this office order No 289F, dated the 6th September 1944, Mr C C Ghosh, Special Officer, Silk, Bengal, is allowed leave on medical certificate for eighteen days from the 4th to 21st October 1944, under rule 173(*2*) and (*3*) of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I, in extension of the leave already granted to him

A KARIM Director

Civil Defence

NOTIFICATION

No 1577Com (C D) —9th November 1944 —Whereas the Provincial Government is of opinion that employment in the petroleum installation at Katakhal, Chittagong, of Messrs The Burma Oil Company (India Trading), Limited, is essential for securing the defence of British India and the efficient prosecution of war and for maintaining supplies and services necessary to the life of the community

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Essential Services (Maintenance) Ordinance, 1941 (Ordinance No XI of 1941), the Governor is pleased to declare such employment to be an employment to which the said Ordinance applies

By order of the Governor,
M K KIRPALANI, Secy

DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, BENGAL

NOTICE

No. 9820-O C —8th November 1944 —It is hereby notified in pursuance of rule 75A(2) of the Defence of India Rules that the Provincial Government has decided to acquire one small bag of sugar weighing about 17 seers requisitioned under Order No. 9822-O C, dated the 8th November 1944, which is published below

A D KHAN,
Addl. Director of Civil Supplies.

ORDER.

No 9822-O C —8th November 1944 —Whereas in the opinion of the Provincial Government it is necessary and expedient for maintaining supplies and services essential to the life of the community to requisition the moveable property described below and to make the following order in connection therewith,

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by sub-rule (*1*) of rule 75A of the Defence of India Rules the Governor is pleased to requisition one small bag of sugar weighing about 17 seers lying unclaimed in the custody of the Ballygunj Station Master, Bengal and Assam Railway, and is further pleased to make the following order, namely —

The Station Master, Ballygunj under whose custody the said property is lying, shall place the said property at the disposal of the Controller of Rationing, Town Hall, Calcutta or an agent duly authorised by him in writing in this behalf

By order of the Governor
A D KHAN,
Addl Director of Civil Supplies

NOTIFICATIONS

No 10621D C S —6th/8th November 1944 —Mr S N Mitra, I C S, Deputy Controller, Rural Distribution, Bengal is allowed leave on average pay for the period from 15th November 1944 to 16th December 1944, under rule 81(*b*)(*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules

No 10755D C S —9th November 1944 —Captain A S Lang is appointed District Movement Officer, Tippera, with headquarters at Chandpur, with effect from 17th October 1944

No 10780D C S —10th/13th November 1944 —Mr A G Holmes I C S, Deputy Controller of Rationing, Khardah (Barrackpore), is allowed leave on average pay for three days from 13th November 1944, under rule 81(*b*)(*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules

By order of the Governor,
D N SEN Dy Secy

No 10730D C S —8th/10th November 1944 —Notification No 8631D C S, dated 29th August 1944 transferring Mr A S Bam I C S, Special Officer Civil Supplies Darjeeling to Dacca as Assistant Director of Civil Supplies, Dacca, is cancelled

No 10731D C S —8th/10th November 1944 —Notification No 10608D C S dated 4th November 1944 transferring Major J M Gilmour, Assistant Director (Storage) Department of Civil Supplies, to Darjeeling as Special Officer Civil Supplies, Darjeeling *vice* Mr A S Bam, I C S, is cancelled

No 10732D C S —8th/10th November 1944 —Major J M Gilmour, Assistant Director (Storage), Department of Civil Supplies, is transferred to Darjeeling as Additional Special Officer, Civil Supplies, Darjeeling

By order of the Governor,
M SARKAR, Asst Secy

No 10742D C S —9th/11th November 1944 —Mr S Bose, A C A, has been appointed Technical Adviser, Audit and Account Section, in the office of the Controller of Rationing, with effect from 3rd November 1944

No 10798D C S —11th/13th November 1944 —Maulvi Noor Mohammad Khan, Special Officer, Rationing Bhadreswar-Mankundu (Hooghly), is allowed earned leave for nine days from 13th November 1944, under rule 167 of Bengal Service Rules, Part I.

By order of the Governor,
A. DIN, 2nd Asst. Secy.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT

Land Revenue

NOTIFICATIONS.

Nadia.—No 18260L R —10th November 1944 —Under section 3 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (V of 1875), the Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made of all lands which are comprised in the temporarily-settled private estate mentioned below of the Nadia Collectorate, and that the boundaries of the estate, tenures, mauzas and fields be demarcated on the lands so to be surveyed —

Serial No	Estate No	Name of estate
1	3650	Diara Taluk Gopi Sundari Dasi and others

Nadia.—No 18261L R —10th November 1944 —In exercise of the powers conferred by section 101*(2)(d)* of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885 (Act VIII of 1885), the Governor is pleased to order that a survey shall be made and a record-of-rights prepared in respect of all lands which are comprised in the following temporarily-settled private estate of the Nadia Collectorate -

Serial No	Estate No	Name of estate
1	3650	Diara Taluk Gopi Sundari Dasi and others

The particulars to be recorded in the record-of-rights shall be the following -

(*a*) the name of each tenant or occupant,

(*b*) the class or clasess to which each tenant belongs, that is to say, whether he is a tenure-holder, raiyat holding at fixed rate, settled raiyat, occupancy raiyat, non-occupancy raiyat, or under-raiyat with or without a right of occupancy, and if he is a tenure-holder, whether he is a permanent tenure-holder or not and whether his rent is liable to enhancement during the continuance of his tenure,

(*c*) the situation and quantity of the land held by each tenant or occupier,

(*d*) the name of each tenant's landlord,

(*e*) the name of each proprietor in the local area or estate with the character and extent of its interest and the situation and quantity of the lands, if any, which are his private lands as defined in Chapter XI of the Act,

(*f*) the rent and cess lawfully payable by each tenant at the time record-of-rights is being prepared,

(*g*) the amount payable in respect of any rights of pasturage forest rights, rights over fisheries and the like at the time the record-of-rights is being prepared the conditions and incidents appertaining to such rights and if the amount is a gradually increasing amount, the time at which and the increments by which it increases,

(*h*) the mode in which that rent has been fixed whether by contract by order of a court or otherwise,

(*i*) if the rent is a gradually increasing rent, the time at which and the steps by which it increases,

(*j*) the rights and obligations of each landlord and tenant in respect of -

- (*i*) the use by tenants of water for agricultural purposes, whether obtained from a river, jhil tank or well or any other source of supply, and
- (*ii*) the repair and maintenance of appliances for securing a supply of water for the cultivation of the land held by each tenant, whether or not such appliances be situated within the boundaries of such land;

(*k*) the special conditions and incidents, if any, of the tenancy,

(*l*) any right-of-way or other easement attaching to the land for which a record-of-rights is being prepared;

(*m*) if the land is claimed to be held rent-free, whether or not rent is actually paid, and if not paid, whether or not the occupant is entitled to hold the land without payment of rent, and if so entitled, under what authority.

Provided that, if lands are not used for purposes connected with agriculture or horticulture, it shall be sufficient to record that fact together with the prescribed particulars relating to the occupant, the landlord and the tenancy

Faridpur, Bakarganj, Dacca, Mymensingh, 24-Parganas, Khulna, Burdwan, Birbhum, Hooghly, Howrah, Midnapore, Bankura, Nadia, Murshidabad, Rajshahi, Pabna, Bogra, Malda and Darjeeling. —No 18409L R —13th November 1944 —Under section 4 of the Bengal Survey Act, 1875 (Act V of 1875), Babu Surendra Nath Roy, Deputy Collector and Officer in charge, Bengal Traverse Party and Drawing Office, is appointed to be an Assistant Superintendent for the purpose of carrying out the survey in the districts of Faridpur, Bakarganj, Dacca, Mymensingh, 24-Parganas, Khulna, Burdwan, Birbhum, Hooghly, Howrah, Midnapore, Bankura, Nadia, Murshidabad, Rajshahi, Pabna, Bogra, Malda and Darjeeling

Calcutta.—No 18432L R —13th November 1944 —Maulvi Dahiluddin Ahmad retired Sub-Deputy Magistrate and Sub-Deputy Collector, is appointed as Assessing Officer, Finance Tax, Calcutta Collectorate

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Land Acquisition

NOTIFICATIONS

Khulna.—No 18194L A —9th November 1944 —Whereas it appears to the Governor that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government partly at the public expense and partly at the expense of the Ajugurah H E School, for a public purpose, viz , for the extension of the Ajugurah H E School compound, in the village of Hussainpur, jurisdiction list No 44, thana Khulna, pargana Belfulia, district Khulna, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land comprising cadastral plot Nos 282 and 284, and measuring more or less 0 82 of an acre, is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Hussainpur

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Khulna

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days after the date on which public notice of the substance of this notification is given in the locality, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Khulna

Howrah.—No 18250L A —10th November 1944. —Whereas it appears to the Governor that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the expense of Martin Light Railway for a public purpose, viz , for the approach road to the goods yard at Tickapara, in the village of Howrah, jurisdiction list No 5, thana Howrah, pargana Boro, district Howrah, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land measuring, more or less, 0 184 of an acre, bounded on the north by lands of Central Bank of India, Ltd , Haridas Goswami, Nagendra Nath De, and Hara Chand Mukherjee Lane, east by land acquired under declaration No. 11334L.A , dated 4th December 1941, south by lands of Central Bank of India, Ltd., and Haridas Goswami and west by

Bellilious Road, is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Howrah.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all to whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Howrah.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land ando all other acts required or permitted by that section

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days after the date on which public notice of the substance of this notification is given in the locality, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Howrah

Burdwan.—No 18254L A—10th November 1944—Whereas it appears to the Governor that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government partly at the public expense and partly at the expense of the Managing Committee of the Kantikumari Charitable Dispensary for a public purpose, viz, for Kantikumari Charitable Dispensary, in the village of Siblun, jurisdiction list No 94, thana Ketugram, pargana Manoharshahi, district Burdwan, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land comprising cadastral plot No 724, and measuring, more or less, 0·06 of an acre, is likely to be required within the aforesaid village of Siblun

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Special Land Acquisition Officer, Burdwan

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section the Governor is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days after the date on which public notice of the substance of this notification is given in the locality, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Burdwan

Bakarganj.—No 18411L A 13th November 1944—Whereas it appears to the Governor that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government partly at the public expense and partly at the expense of the F H College authorities for a public purpose, viz, for the construction of Fazlul Huq College, Hindu Hostel, Muhammadan Hostel, Scheduled Caste Hindu Hostel, playground and reserve tank, in the villages of Barachakhar Khalisakota and Madarkati, jurisdiction list Nos 346, 2150 and 2151, respectively thana Banaripara parganas Chandradwip and Baugrora, district Bakarganj, it is hereby notified that for the above purpose four pieces of land comprising cadastral survey plot Nos 758, 759 760 775, 754, and portions of cadastral survey plot Nos 753, 757 and 776 in Block "A", mauza Barachakhar, revisional survey No 346, cadastral survey plot No 648 and portions of cadastral survey plot Nos 789 and 790 in Block "B", mauza Barachakhar, revisional survey No 346, cadastral survey plot Nos 170, 171, 174 175 and 180 in Block "C", mauza Khalisakota, revisional survey No 2150; cadastral plot Nos 43, 44, 45 65, 66, 67, 73, 74 and 75 and portions of cadastral survey plot Nos 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 68 69 and 72 in Block "D", mauza Madarkati, revisional survey No 2151 and measuring, more or less, 19·46 acres, are likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Barachakhar, Khalisakota and Madarkati.

This notification is made, under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern.

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Bakarganj.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen, to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may, within thirty days after the date on which public notice of the substance of this notification is given in the locality, file an objection in writing before the Collector of Bakarganj

Khulna.—No 18417L A—13th November 1944—Whereas it appears to the Governor that land is likely to be required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for Chitabmari scheme connecting channel from Baragumi to Goranalua in the villages of Atjuri and Baragumi, jurisdiction list Nos 56 and 61, respectively, thana Mollahat, pargana Makimpur, district Khulna it is hereby notified that for the above purpose a piece of land comprising parts of cadastral plot Nos 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2021, and 1016 of mauza Atjuri and cadastral plot Nos 701 and 644 and parts of cadastral plots Nos 702, 703, 705 712, 633, 634, 641, 639, 640 643, 638, 645, 714 and 642 of mauza Baragumi and measuring, more or less, 1·75 acres, is likely to be required within the aforesaid villages of Atjuri and Baragumi

This notification is made under the provisions of section 4 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Bagerhat

In exercise of the powers conferred by the aforesaid section, the Governor is pleased to authorise the officers for the time being engaged in the undertaking, with their servants and workmen to enter upon and survey the land and do all other acts required or permitted by that section

Any person interested in the above land, who has any objection to the acquisition thereof, may within thirty days after the date on which public notice of the substance of the notification is given in the locality, file an objection in writing before the Land Acquisition Collector of Bagerhat

ERRATUM

Pabna. No 18413L A 13th November 1944 In line 11 of notification No 931L A dated the 19th January 1944 under section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act 1894, published at page 91 Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 27th idem in respect of the proposed acquisition of 0·033 of an acre of land required for the extension and sanitary improvement of the staff quarters attached to Bera police-station in the village of Uttar Sambhupur in the district of Pabna, *insert* plot No '910' *after* plot No '911

DECLARATIONS

Dinajpur. No 18252L A - 10th November 1944--Whereas it appears to the Governor that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for construction of 2nd mile of the first 5 miles project of the North Bengal Highway (South of Dinajpur town) from Lakharpur to Birganj in the villages of Hamjapur, Mashimpur and Saidpur, district Dinajpur, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose pieces of lands measuring, more or less, 9·68 acres excluding the existing district board roads and side lands and comprising cadastral survey plots as detailed below —

2nd mile

Village Hamjapur, jurisdiction list No 104, police-station Dinajpur, pargana Bijoynagar, portions of cadastral survey plot Nos 229, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239 and 240

Village Mashimpur, jurisdiction list No. 109, police-station Dinajpur, pargana Bijoynagar, portions of cadastral survey plot Nos 318, 319, 308, 307, 321, 322, 306, 294, 293, 297, 298, 290, 289, 284, 287, 285, 283, 282, 281, 269, 270, 271, 259, 258, 257, 255/2237, 256, 254/2236, 252, 251, 250, 658, 655, 651, 652, 643, 624, 622, 619, 613, 612, 611, 2028, 2027, 2026, 2025, 2041 and 2042, and whole of the cadastral survey plot Nos 320, 295, 296, 292, 291, 284/2238, 279, 277, 276, 653, 623 and 2040

Village Saidpur, jurisdiction list No 112, police-station Dinajpur, pargana Bijoynagar, portions of cadastral survey plot Nos 2132, 2116, 2113, 2105, 2102, 2079, 2077, 2076, 2075, 1503, 1504, 1516, 1518, 1531, 1553, 1554, 1555, 1556, 1558, 1559, 1560, 1563, 1609, 1610, 1613 and 1615 and whole of cadastral survey plot Nos 2133, 2114, 2104, 2103, 2461, 1561 and 1562,

are required within the aforesaid villages of Hampapur, Mashimpur and Saidpur

This declaration is made under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Collector of Dinajpur

Pabna.—No 18415L A—13th November 1944 —Whereas it appears to the Governor that land is required to be taken by Government at the public expense for a public purpose, viz, for the extension and sanitary improvement of the staff quarters attached to Bera police-station, in the village of Uttar Shambhupur, jurisdiction list No 4, in thana Bera, pargana Yusufshahi, district Pabna, it is hereby declared that for the above purpose a piece of land comprising parts of cadastral plot Nos 911 and 910, and measuring, more or less, 0 033 of an acre, is required within the aforesaid village of Uttar Shambhupur

This declaration is made, under the provisions of section 6 of Act I of 1894, to all whom it may concern

A plan of the land may be inspected in the office of the Land Acquisition Officer, Pabna

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Famine Relief

NOTIFICATIONS

No 18256F R —10th November 1944 —Maulvi Abdul Qader, Special Relief Officer, Contai, in the district of Midnapore, is appointed to discharge in the jurisdiction of the Contai subdivision, the functions of a Collector under sub-rule (*1*) of rule 1 of the rules under the Agriculturists' Loans Act, 1884, published in notification No 4328-Agri, dated the 9th June 1917, at pages 864-876 Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 13th June 1917

No 18258F R —10th November 1944 —In exercise of the power conferred by sub-clause (*a*) of clause (*1*) of section 2 of the Bengal Destitute Persons (Repatriation and Relief) Ordinance, 1944 (Bengal Ordinance II of 1944), the Governor is pleased to authorise the following persons to perform all the functions of an authorised officer under the said Ordinance, namely —

(1) The Relief Co-ordination Officer, Calcutta

(2) The Additional Relief Co-ordination Officer, Calcutta

(3) The Assistant Relief Co-ordination Officers, Calcutta

No 18259F R —10th November 1944 —In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 9 of the Bengal Destitute Persons (Repatriation and Relief) Ordinance, 1944 (Bengal Ordinance II of 1944), the Governor is pleased to empower the officers mentioned in column 2 of the table below to grant permission for the commencement of prosecution for any offence under the said Ordinance committed within the areas mentioned in the corresponding entries in column 1 of the said table.—

Areas 1	Officers 2
1 Calcutta	The Relief Co-ordination Officer Calcutta.
2 Each district of Bengal excluding the suburbs of Calcutta	The District Magistrate.
3 Each subdivision of Bengal excluding the suburbs of Calcutta	The Subdivisional Magistrate of the subdivision

No 18486F R —14th November 1944 —Babu Phanindra Nath Mukerjee, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector employed as Relief Co-ordination Officer, Calcutta, is appointed to be *ex-officio* Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department

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Requisition

NOTIFICATION

Burdwan.—No 18276Reqn —10th November 1944 —Babu Shyamananda Banerjee Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector employed as Special Land Acquisition Officer, Burdwan, is allowed leave on average pay for twenty-four days, under rule 184(*b*)(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I, with effect from the 2nd November 1944

Miscellaneous

NOTIFICATION

No 18043Misc —7th November 1944 —Babu Jogesh Chandra Mitra, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector (retired), is appointed to be an Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Revenue Department, with effect from the 1st November 1944, until further orders

By order of the Governor,

S BANERJEE, Secy

Notification under rule 7 of the Bengal Non-agricultural Lands Assessment Rules, 1938.

Alipore, the 6th November 1944

No 3264A —The rent roll of the temporarily settled private estate No 3864 (Diara Mahal Char Patharbaria Digar) of the Nadia Collectorate was confirmed by the Board of Revenue on the 21st October 1944 under section 9 of the Bengal Non-agricultural Lands Assessment Act XIX of 1936 (Board's memorandum No 13956 S & S, dated the 21st October 1944)

A certified copy of the rent rolls shall remain open to public inspection in the office of the Collector of Nadia at Krishnagar for a period of three months from 11 a m to 5 p m from the date of the notification

S A MAJID, Settlement Officer

Notification under rule 7 of the Bengal Non-agricultural Lands Assessment Rules, 1938.

Alipore, the 6th November 1944.

No 3265A —The rent roll of the Crown estate No 4238 (Bajeapti Lakhiraj Hamirbati) of the Hooghly Collectorate was confirmed by the Board of Revenue on the 28th October 1944, under section 9 of the Bengal Non-agricultural Lands Assessment Act XIX of 1936 (Board's memorandum No 14304 S & S, dated the 28th October 1944)

A certified copy of the rent rolls shall remain open to public inspection in the office of the Collector of Hooghly at Chinsurah for a period of three months from 11 a m. to 5 p m from the date of this notification.

S A. MAJID, Settlement Officer.

FORESTS AND EXCISE DEPARTMENT

Forests

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 18130For.—8th November 1944.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 241 of the Government of India Act, 1935, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Governor is pleased to make the following rules for recruitment of candidates to the temporary establishments in the Forest Divisions of the Bengal Forest Department —

Rules for recruitment (1) in the temporary Executive establishment on a pay of Rs. 30 per mensem and (2) in the temporary clerical establishment on a pay of Rs. 35 per mensem, for employment in the several Forest Divisions of the Bengal Forest Department.

1 **Qualifications.**—(*1*) Candidates must have passed the Matriculation Examination or its equivalent, namely, School Final Examination (Science Side) Candidates who have a knowledge of surveying and have obtained a certificate of having passed a Survey Course recognised by the Provincial Government will have preference for executive appointments

(*2*) Candidates must not exceed 23 years of age for executive appointments or 25 years of age for clerical appointments on the 1st January of the year of examination

(*3*) Candidates must be of good character, sound health, good physique and active habits and free from organic defect or physical infirmity Candidates must produce testimonials from responsible persons about their character and are advised to satisfy themselves on the question of their health and physique before appearing at the preliminary interview Candidates selected for appointment shall be required to appear before a Civil Surgeon and obtain a certificate of fitness for employment in the Forest Department Candidates for the executive service should be of good physique and sufficiently hardy for strenuous outdoor work

(*4*) Candidates for appointment to clerical posts shall possess a sound knowledge of typewriting and must enclose a certificate from an institution recognised by the Provincial Government that they are qualified typists

(*5*) Candidates must be British subjects or subjects of a State in India As candidates claiming to be members of Scheduled Castes are liable to be discharged if subsequently it be found that they do not belong to these castes, such candidates should be ready to produce proof that in fact they belong to Scheduled Castes

2 **Preliminary Selection.**—(*1*) Candidates shall be required to appear at their own expense before the nearest Divisional Forest Officer for preliminary selection

(*2*) Headquarters of the Divisional Forest Officers are at (1) Darjeeling, (2) Kalimpong, (3) Dow-Hill *via* Kurseong, (4) Jalpaiguri, (5) Buxa Duar, district Jalpaiguri, (6) Khulna, (7) Chittagong, (8) Rangamati, (9) Dacca and (10) Alipore, Calcutta

(*3*) Candidates shall state in their applications the particular Divisional Forest Officer before whom they intend to appear for preliminary selection and they shall be informed by the Conservator in due course of the date of the interview for selection, if they are considered qualified to appear for preliminary selection

(*4*) The interviewing officer shall be the sole judge of whether a candidate shall be permitted to appear at the competitive examination Only candidates of good physique and qualifications essential for service in the Forest Department shall be selected No candidate shall be permitted to sit for the competitive examination unless he has obtained a certificate from the interviewing officer and paid the examination fee of five rupees to that officer The fee shall not be refunded under any circumstances

3 **Competitive Examination.**—(*1*) A competitive examination for selected candidates shall be held at six centres, namely, Calcutta, Jalpaiguri, Dacca, Khulna, Chittagong and Darjeeling, and selected candidates shall be required to state before the interviewing officer where they wish to sit for the examination

(*2*) Selected candidates shall be required to produce before the invigilating officer at the competitive examination the certificate referred to in sub-rule (*1*) of rule 2 as evidence that they have been selected and paid the examination fee of five rupees No travelling allowance shall be admissible

(*3*) The examination shall be in the following subjects —

(1) Mathematics—One paper of three hours
(2) English Composition One paper of two hours
(3) Precis—One paper of one hour
(4) Dictation—One paper of half an hour

4 **Appointment.**—(*1*) Appointments will be made in accordance with the Bengal Services Recruitment (Communal Ratio) Rules, 1940, up to the number of vacancies to be filled from candidates who satisfy the examiners at the competitive examination

(*2*) Only candidates who have been selected for appointment shall be informed, and shall be required to appear at their own expense before a Civil Surgeon for medical examination before being finally appointed

(*3*) Seniority in the temporary establishment shall be determined in order of merit in the competitive examination irrespective of communal considerations

5 **Application** (*1*) Application shall be in the candidates' own handwriting and shall be accompanied by true copies of certificates to show that they possess the qualifications referred to in rule 1

(*2*) Applications shall be addressed to the Senior Conservator of Forests, Bengal, Bengal Forest Office, Mackenzie Road Darjeeling

No 18196For.—9th November 1944.—Mr Nuruddin Ahmad, Assistant Conservator of Forests Bengal was allowed leave for thirty days, with effect from 31st July 1944, viz, earned leave for eleven days under rule 167(*a*) of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I, and thereafter leave on medical certificate for the remaining period, under rule 173(*1*) and (*3*) of those rules

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Excise

NOTIFICATION

No 18155Ex.—8th November 1944 Babu Satis Chandra Chaki Inspector of Excise, is promoted to the rank of Superintendent of Excise in the Bengal Excise Service

2 He will be on probation for one year, with effect from the 5th February 1944

By order of the Governor,
S BANERJEE, Secy

Orders by the Commissioner of Excise, Bengal

No 43Exc.—7th November 1944.—Babu Jasoda Kumar Malakar, officiating Inspector of Excise, Calcutta, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 184(*b*)(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I, with effect from the date on which the officer may be relieved

G D. HOSKINS, Major, Commissioner.

AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATIONS

No 4336Agri —7th November 1944 —Dr. Lall Chand Sikka, Ph D , Live Stock Expert, Bengal, is appointed temporarily as Special Officer, Agriculture, with effect from the 9th October 1944

No 4337Agri —7th November 1944 —Mr N A Khan, Assistant Live Stock Expert, Bengal, is appointed to officiate as Live Stock Expert, Bengal, *vice* Dr L C Sikka, appointed to the temporary post of Special Officer, Agriculture, under the Director of Agriculture, Bengal

No 4338Agri 7th November 1944 —Babu Birendra Nath Sen, Live Stock Officer, is appointed to act as Assistant Live Stock Expert, *vice* Mr N A Khan, appointed to officiate as Live Stock Expert, Bengal

No 4353Agri - 8th November 1944 —Mr M Carbery, C I E , D S O , M C , I A S , Director of Agriculture, Bengal, is allowed leave on average pay for eight months, under rule 81(*b*)(*i*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from the 24th November 1944

Mr Carbery will retire from Government service with effect from the 24th July 1945

No 4360Agri - 8th November 1944 —Mr N M Khan, I C S , is appointed to hold the temporary post of Special Officer in the office of the Director of Agriculture, Bengal, with effect from the 18th October 1944

Zoological Garden

NOTIFICATION

Calcutta.— No 4326Zoo —7th November 1944 - Mr W A S Lewis, M A , O B E , I C S , is appointed to be a member of the General Committee of Management of the Zoological Garden, Calcutta

By order of the Governor,

S DUTT, Secy

CO-OPERATIVE CREDIT AND RURAL INDEBTEDNESS DEPARTMENT

Rural Indebtedness

NOTIFICATIONS

Burdwan Divn.-Presidency Divn. - No 159R I - 10th November 1944 Maulvi Muhammad Shamsuddin, Deputy Director, Debt Conciliation, Burdwan Division, is appointed to be the Deputy Director, Debt Conciliation, Presidency Division, in addition to his duty as the Deputy Director, Debt Conciliation, Burdwan Division, with effect from the date on which he takes over charge of his duties His headquarters will henceforth be at Calcutta instead of Chinsurah

Presidency Divn.—No 160R I 10th November 1944 -In exercise of the power conferred by subsection (2) of section 43 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), the Governor is pleased to appoint the officer mentioned below to inspect or cause to be inspected any property, books or documents in the possession of or under the control of any Debt Settlement Board established within the area specified opposite the name of such officer and to require any such Board to furnish such statements, accounts, reports, copies of documents or such other information relating to the proceedings and duties of the Board as such officer thinks fit to call for -

Maulvi Muhammad Shamsuddin, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, employed as Deputy Director, Debt Conciliation—Within the Presidency Division

By order of the Governor,

K C. BASAK, Secy

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta.—No. 1664C./Edn —31st October 1944. —Mrs Malati Sen, Lecturer in Sanskrit, Bethune College, in the Subordinate Educational Service, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service (Women's Branch) as Professor of Sanskrit of the College with effect from the 15th August 1944, the date on which she assumed the duties of the higher post, *vice* Miss Santa Sen, on leave, or until further orders

Dacca.—No 512Edn —4th November 1944 —Babu Hem Chandra Banerjee, Vice-Principal, Teachers' Training College, Dacca, in the Bengal Educational Service, is appointed to act in the Bengal Senior Educational Service as Principal of the College, with effect from the 24th July 1944, the date on which he assumed the duties of the higher post, pending the arrival of Mr Phakirdas Banerjee or until further orders

Dacca.—No 513Edn —4th November 1944 —Babu Dwijendra Nath Roy, Lecturer, Teachers' Training College, Dacca, in the Subordinate Educational Service, is appointed to act in the Bengal Educational Service (revised scale) as Professor of the College, with effect from the date on which he assumed the duties of the post, *vice* Babu Hem Chandra Banerjee, on deputation, or until further orders

Dacca.--No 1705C /Edn —14th November 1944. —The Governor is pleased to appoint Mr Sultanuddin Ahmed, M L C , as a member of the Board of Intermediate and Secondary Education, Dacca, reconstituted in this department resolution No 1648C./Edn , dated the 25th October 1944, as a representative of the Dacca University

ERRATUM

No 1677C /Edn —4th November 1944 —In notification No 1583C /Edn dated the 10th October 1944, constituting a Standing Committee to advise Government upon all questions relating to Scheduled Caste Education, published at page 1290 of Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated the 26th October 1944, *omit* "(8) Mr Mukunda Behari Mallick, M L A "

By order of the Governor,

K C BASAK, Secy

Registration

NOTIFICATIONS

Bakarganj.--No 320Regn —3rd November 1944 —In exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Bengal Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1876 (Bengal Act I of 1876), the Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Hakim temporarily to be a Muhammadan Registrar within the police-station of Patharghata, in the district of Bakarganj, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Mansur Ahmed or until further orders

Bakarganj.—No 321Regn —3rd November 1944 —In exercise of the power conferred by section 2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Act XII of 1880), the Governor is pleased to appoint Maulvi Abdul Hakim temporarily to be the Kazi for the celebration of marriages and the performance of other rites and ceremonies within the police-station of Patharghata, in the district of Bakarganj, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Mansur Ahmed or until further orders

By order of the Governor,

K C BASAK, Secy

Orders by the Inspector-General of Registration, Bengal

Noakhali.—No 471C.—17th September 1944 —Babu Santimay Ghosh, Sub-Registrar of Ramganj, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed earned leave for thirteen days, under rule 167(ii) of the Bengal Service Rules, with effect from 21st August 1944.

Dinajpur-Rangpur.—No. 472C.—18th September 1944.—Maulvi A. Q. M. Faslul Haque, probationary Sub-Registrar attached to the Sadar Registration office, Dinajpur, officiating as Sub-Registrar of Jaldhaka, in the district of Rangpur, is allowed earned leave for eight days, under rule 167(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, with effect from 9th September 1944

Rangpur.—No. 473C —18th September 1944.—Babu Sourendra Nath Bhaduri, temporary Sub-Registrar attached to the Sadar Registration office, Rangpur, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Jaldhaka in the same district, during the absence, on leave of Maulvi A Q M. Fazlul Haque.

Nadia.—No 474C —18th September 1944 —Babu Rathindra Nath Biswas, Sub-Registrar attached to the Sadar Registration office at Krishnagar, Nadia, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 184(*b*)(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, with effect from 3rd October 1944

Birbhum.—No 475C —3rd October 1944 —Maulvi Saiyid Md. Ali Mirza, on leave, on the termination of his officiating appointment as District Sub-Registrar of Birbhum, is allowed leave average pay for twenty-one days, under rule 184(*b*)(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in the Education Department notification No 231Regn , dated the 9th August 1944

Mymensingh.—No 476C —3rd October 1944 —This department notification No 758C , dated the 30th November 1943, appointing Maulvi Nazir-uddin Mohammad, Joint Sub-Registrar of Tangail at Pakullah, in the district of Mymensingh, on leave, to be the Sub-Registrar of Madan in the same district, is cancelled

Noakhali.—No 477C —3rd October 1944 —Maulvi Abdul Matin, Sub-Registrar of Begumganj, in the district of Noakhali, is allowed earned leave for six days, under rule 167(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, with effect from the 21st August 1944

Pabna.—No 478C —7th October 1944 —Babu Nikhil Ranjan Sanyal, Joint Sub-Registrar of Serajganj at Gandhail, in the district of Pabna, is allowed earned leave for seven days, under rule 167(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No 439C , dated the 6th September 1944.

Bakarganj.—No 479C —7th October 1944 —Maulvi Shamsul Islam Md Abdul Karim Choudhury, Sub-Registrar of Galachipa, in the district of Bakarganj, is allowed earned leave for eight days, under rule 167(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, with effect from the 26th August 1944

Hooghly.—No 480C —7th October 1944 —Maulvi Shaikh Nurul Huq, Sub-Registrar of Khanakul, in the district of Hooghly, is allowed earned leave for eight days, under rule 167(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, with effect from the 3rd October 1944.

Dacca-Khulna.—No 481C —7th October 1944 —Babu Ramchandra Barai, probationary Sub-Registrar attached to the Sadar Registration office at Dacca, officiating at Dumuria, in the district of Khulna, is allowed earned leave for three days, under rule 167(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, with effect from the 21st August 1944.

Bogra.—No. 482C —7th October 1944.—Babu Sasadhar Pramanik, Sub-Registrar of Khanjanpur, in the district of Bogra, is allowed leave on average pay for one month, under rule 184(*b*)(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in this department notification No. 413C., dated the 30th August 1944.

Bakarganj.—No. 483C.—7th October 1944.—Maulvi Abul Muzaffar Ashraf Ali, Joint Sub-Registrar of Barhanuddin Havilder's Hat at Tazimuddin, in the district of Bakarganj, is allowed leave on average pay for two months, under rule 184(*b*)(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, with effect from the 3rd October 1944.

Bakarganj.—No 484C.—7th October 1944.—Babu Sunil Kishore Chakraburty, probationary Sub-Registrar attached to the Sadar Registration office at Barisal, Bakarganj, is appointed to act as the Joint Sub-Registrar of Barhanuddin Havilder's Hat at Tazimuddin in the same district, during the absence, on leave, of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

Noakhali.—No 485C —7th October 1944.—Maulvi Md. Abdul Hai, temporary Sub-Registrar attached to the Sadar Registration office at Noakhali, is appointed to act as Sub-Registrar of Daganbhuiya in the same district, until further orders

D N SAHA, Inspr -Genl.

Office of the Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Bengal

NOTIFICATION

Chittagong Hill-tracts.—No. 1628 —10th November 1944 —In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (*1*) of section 92 of the Government of India Act, 1935, the Governor is pleased to direct that the Indian Army (Third Amendment) Ordinance, 1944 (Ordinance XLIV of 1944), shall apply to the Chittagong Hill-tracts, with effect from the date of publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Governor,
A E. PORTER,
Secretary to the Governor.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, BENGAL

NOTIFICATION

No 2451P S C /D —6th November 1944 —It is hereby notified for general information that the Second Half-yearly Departmental Examination of officers will commence on Monday, the 11th December 1944 The examination will be held at the Government Commercial Institute, Calcutta (15, Clive Street, top floor, Calcutta) The time fixed for the Viva Voce Examinations will be communicated to the candidates individually

The following is the programme of examination —

Monday, the 11th December 1944

Viva Voce (Bengali)—11 a m to 1-30 p m
Viva Voce (Hindusthani) 11 a m. to 1-30 p m

Tuesday, the 12th December 1944.

Higher Standard—Bengali—

Translation from English (two hours)—11 a.m. to 1 p m
Dictation (half an hour)—1 p m to 1-30 p m
Translation from Bengali (two hours)—2 p.m. to 4 p m

Lower Standard Hindustani for Forest Officers—

Translation from Hindusthani (two hours)—11 a m to 1 p m.

Higher Standard Hindustani for Forest Officers—

Translation from Hindusthani (two hours)—2 p.m to 4 p m.

Wednesday, the 13th December 1944.

10 a m —

Law, Paper I (Revenue Law), for Judicial Officers, without books (three hours)
Canal Law, Part A, for Irrigation Officers, without books (three hours)
Accounts for Agricultural Officers, with books (three hours)
Land Revenue for Forest Officers, without books (three hours).
Accounts for Excise Officers with books (three hours).

2 p.m.—

Law, Paper II (General Law), for Judicial Officers, with books (three hours).

Canal Law, Part B, for Irrigation Officers, without books (three hours)

Departmental Rules and Orders for Agricultural Officers, without books (three hours).

Forest Law for Forest Officers, without books (three hours)

Law with books for Excise Officers (three hours)

Thursday, the 14th December 1944.

10 a.m —

Law, Paper III, for Judicial Officers, with books (three hours)

Accounts for Officers of the Industries Department, with books (three hours).

Accounts for Veterinary Officers, with books (three hours)

Procedure and Accounts for Forest Officers, with books (three hours)

Accounts for officiating Assistant Commissioners of Police, Calcutta, with books (three hours)

Law without books for Excise Officers (three hours)

P B RUDRA, Secretary

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

The 14th September 1944

Notice is hereby given that the Fifth Criminal Sessions of the year 1944 of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal for the town of Calcutta and factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, will be held at the Court House, in the town of Calcutta, on Monday, the 4th day of December 1944 at 10-30 a m. in the forenoon, and thenceforward from day to day until the said sessions be over And it is hereby proclaimed that all persons who are to prosecute any of the prisoners to be brought up for trial at the said sessions be present then and there to prosecute.

T S GLADSTONE, Sheriff

সেরিফ আফিস, ১৪ই সেপ্টেম্বর ১৯৪৪ ।

এতদ্দ্বারা সর্ব্বসাধারণকে জ্ঞাত করা যাইতেছে যে, সুবে বাঙ্গালা ফোর্ট উইলিয়ম দুর্গের অধীন সহর কলিকাতা ও অন্যান্য স্থানের ফৌজদারী বিচার নিষ্পত্তি জন্য আগামী ১৯৪৪ খৃষ্টাব্দের ৪ঠা ডিসেম্বর সোমবার বেলা ১০॥ ঘটিকার সময় এবং যে পর্য্যন্ত সেসনের কার্য্য সমাধা না হয় প্রতিদিন উক্ত সময়ে কলিকাতা হাইকোর্টের আপন আদালত ঘরে ১৯৪৪ খৃষ্টাব্দের পঞ্চম ক্রিমিন্যাল সেসন বসিবে, এবং এতদ্দ্বারা প্রচার করা যাইতেছে যে, যে সকল ব্যক্তি কোন কয়েদীর বিরুদ্ধে কোন ফৌজদারী মিছিল করিবে, তাহারা উক্ত স্থানে উক্ত সময়ে হাজির থাকিয়া মোকদ্দমা করে। ইতি।

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ORDERS AND NOTIFICATIONS BY THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL AND THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF BENGAL

Appellate Side

Appointments and Transfers.

Jessore.—No 8206A —6th November 1944.—Babu Amiya Nimai Chakrabatti, Munsif, on leave, is appointed to be a Munsif in the district of Jessore to be ordinarily stationed at Narail, *vice* Babu Dhirendra Nath Bagchi

Khulna-Jessore.—No 8290A —8th November 1944.—Babu Bhabendra Nath Banarji, Munsif of Khulna (Sadar), is appointed to be a Munsif, in the district of Jessore, to be ordinarily stationed at Narail, during the absence, on leave, of Maulvi Abdus Samad Khan.

Birbhum.—No. 8318A —11th November 1944.—Babu Shyama Prasanna Sen Varma, probationary Munsif, now employed as Munsif of Bolpur, in the district of Birbhum, is appointed temporarily to be a Munsif in the said district, to be ordinarily stationed at Suri, during the absence on leave of Babu Jitendra Nath Maitra.

Leave.

24-Parganas.—No 8199A —6th November 1944.—Babu Raj Kumar Datta, lately Munsif of Alipore, in the district of 24-Parganas, is allowed leave on average pay, under rules 184(*b*)(*ii*) and 188(*a*) of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I, for two months and ten days, with effect from the 20th October 1944

2 He is also permitted to prefix the Civil Court vacation of 1944 to the leave

No 8211A —6th November 1944 —In supersession of the orders contained in the court's notification No 5041A, dated the 30th June 1944, Babu Bireswar Prasad Bakshi, Munsif, on leave, allowed, without medical certificate, leave on average pay for the period from the 2nd June to the 16th September 1944, under rules 184(*b*)(*ii*) and 188(*a*) of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I, and in continuation further leave on average pay on medical certificate for the period from the 17th September to the 16th December 1944, under the proviso to rule 184(*b*)(*ii*) of the said rules

Mymensingh.—No 8308A —10th November 1944 —In supersession of the orders contained in the court's notifications Nos 3176A and 6865A, dated the 3rd May 1944, and the 28th August 1944, respectively, Babu Jogendra Nath Das Gupta, Subordinate Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge of Mymensingh, was allowed leave on average pay, under rules 184(*b*)(*ii*) and 188(*a*) of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I, for the period from the 22nd May 1944 to the 9th September 1944

Powers.

Jessore.—No 8215A —6th November 1944 —Babu Amiya Nimai Chakrabatti, Munsif, under orders of transfer to Narail, in the district of Jessore, is vested with the powers of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such a court up to the value of Rs. 300 within the local limits of the Narail munsifi

T H ELLIS, Registrar.

ORDERS BY COMMISSIONERS OF DIVISIONS

Burdwan Division—Chinsura.

No 3014R G —25th October 1944.—In exercise of the powers under sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in supersession of all previous notifications issued under the said sub-section in respect of the Debt Settlement Board mentioned below, the Commissioner of Burdwan Division hereby appoints the following persons to be Chairman and members respectively of the Debt Settlement Board noted below for a term of three years, with effect from the date of publication of this notification:—

Katwa subdivision, district Burdwan.

Katwa Special Debt Settlement Board.

Circle Officer, Katwa, Member and Chairman (*ex-officio*).

Members—Babu Basanta Behari Chandra, Babu Gorachand Saha (Scheduled Caste), Maulvi Choudhury Abu Musa and Babu Anadinath Mukherjee.

No. 1985J.G.—8th November 1944.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 56(*2*), Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, Volume I, 7th Edition, I hereby re-appoint the following persons to be non official visitors of the Rampurhat Sub-Jail in the district of Birbhum for a period of two years, with effect from the 16th September 1943:—

Babu Jogjiban Banerji, M.B., and Maulvi Abul Farrah.

No 1992J G.—8th November 1944 —Babu Roma Ranjan Bhattacharji, Sub-Deputy Collector and Circle Officer, Asansol, is allowed earned leave for the period from 11th December to 23rd December 1944, both days inclusive, under rule 167 of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I

No. 2010J.G —10th November 1944.—In accordance with the provisions of rule 56(*2*) of Chapter IV of the Bengal Jail Code, Volume I, Seventh Edition, I hereby appoint Dr. Bibhuti Bhusan Gupta, M B, to be a non-official visitor of the Asansol Sub-Jail in the district of Burdwan for a period of two years with effect from the date of this notification

D. MacPHERSON, Commissioner.

Burdwan, the 7th November 1944.

No. 1431E &R R —It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 35 of the rules for the election and appointment of members of union boards, Babu Panchanan Bhattacharjie has been duly elected to be a member of ward No 1 of the Rajoor union board, police-station Ketugram in the Katwa subdivision of Burdwan, *vice* Babu Kumarish Chandra Ghosh, deceased.

S AHMADULLAH, Addl. Dist. Magistrate

Notice under rule 75A(2) of the Defence of India Rules.

Burdwan, the 28th August 1944

Notice is hereby given that Government of Bengal have decided to acquire under rule 75A(*2*) of the Defence of India Rules, the land described in the Schedule below, which was requisitioned by my order No 123D I, dated the 9th July 1944, under rule 75A of the Defence of India Rules—

Schedule.

Cadastral survey plot No 832 in mauza Shrirampur and portion of cadastral survey plot No 1569 in mauza Ramprosadpur, jurisdiction list Nos 56 and 51, respectively, thana Ondal, pargana Shergarh, district Burdwan, measuring, more or less, 0 302 of an acre, together with structures thereon

J M G BELL, District Magistrate

Chittagong Division—Chittagong

No 4371G —23rd October 1944.—In exercise of the powers under sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in supersession of all previous notifications issued under the said sub-section in respect of the Debt Settlement Board mentioned below, the Commissioner of the Chittagong Division hereby appoints the persons specified under this Debt Settlement Board to be Chairman and members respectively of this Board for a term of three years, with effect from the 22nd April 1944·—

Sadar subdivision, district Tippera

Sahebabad Debt Settlement Board.

Maulvi Abdul Aziz Bhuiya, Chairman.

Members—Maulvi Jinnat Ali Bhuiya, Maulvi Abdul Latif Bhuiya, Babu Debendra Chandra Das and Babu Harendra Chandra Das.

No. 4372G.—23rd October 1944.—In exercise of the powers under sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in supersession of all previous notifications issued under the said sub-section in respect of the Debt Settlement Boards mentioned below, the Commissioner of the Chittagong Division hereby appoints the persons specified under each of these Debt Settlement Boards to be Chairman and members respectively of these Boards for a term of three years, with effect from the 27th February 1944:—

Sadar subdivision, district Tippera

Brahmanpara Debt Settlement Board

Maulvi Rehanuddin Master, Chairman

Members—Babu Ramani Mohan Chakraborty, Maulvi Tafazzal Hossain Bhuiya *alias* Chand Mia, Maulvi Tafazzal Hossain Bhuiya and Maulvi Imamaddin Sarcar

Bharella Debt Settlement Board.

Dr Abdul Razzaque, Chairman.

Members—Babu Gobinda Chandra Bhowmik, Kazi Abdul Majid, Maulvi Abdul Bari and Maulvi Syed Ali Master

M O CARTER, Commissioner.

Chittagong, the 6th November 1944

It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 6(*2*) of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rules 35 and 10 of the rules for the election of members of union boards, Maulvi Abdul Majid Choudhury and Maulvi Ahmed Kabir Sadagar have been duly elected members of Chikandandi union board No. X in police-station Hathazari in Sadar subdivision of the district of Chittagong, *vice* Maulvi Salamat Ali Khan and Maulvi Khairozzaman Choudhury, resigned

E F McINERNY, 1st Addl. Dist. Magistrate.

Dacca Division—Dacca.

No 3537J —30th June 1943 —In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 3(*2*) and 4 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, the Commissioner of the Dacca Division hereby cancels the appointment of Maulvi Maniruzzaman Ahmed and Babu Rajani Kanta Saha as members of the Gouripur Central Co-operative Bank Special Debt Settlement Board in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the Mymensingh district, which was published in notification No 2219J, dated 23rd April 1942, at page 1345, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 14th May 1942, and appoints Maulvi Khoda Baks and Babu Dwijendra Nath Mazumdar to be the members in their places

No 3538J —30th June 1943 —In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 3(*2*) and 4 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, the Commissioner of the Dacca Division hereby cancels the appointment of Maulvi Md Lal Mia as a member of the Gouripur Central Co-operative Bank Special Debt Settlement Board in the Sadar (North) subdivision of the Mymensingh district, which was published in notification No 6569R, dated 24th December 1941, at page 169, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 15th January 1942, and appoints Maulvi Hamidur Rahaman to be a member in his place

No 3709J —10th July 1943 —In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936) delegated to me under section 5 of the said Act, I hereby dissolve the undermentioned Debt Settlement Board in the Jamalpur subdivision of the Mymensingh district established under Government notification noted against it.—

Name of Debt Settlement Board, No and date of notification under which established and where published.

Jhinaigati—No. 2651L.R., dated 8th February 1937—Published at page 260, Part I of *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 11th February 1937.

No 4184J —25th August 1944.—In exercise of the powers under sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in supersession of all previous notifications issued under the said sub-section in respect of the Debt Settlement Board mentioned below, the Commissioner of the Dacca Division hereby appoints the persons specified under the Debt Settlement Board to be Chairman and members respectively of the Board for a term of three years, with effect from the date of publication of this notification —

Jamalpur subdivision, district Mymensingh

Bakshiganj Debt Settlement Board

Maulvi Mafiquddin Siddique, Chairman and Member

Members—Maulvi Kefayetullah Master, Maulvi Janipuddin Mondal, Babu Gagan Ch Barman and Babu Nagendra Kishore Chanda

No. 4191J.—25th August 1944 —In exercise of the powers under sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in supersession of all previous notifications issued under the said sub-section in respect of the Debt Settlement Board mentioned below, the Commissioner of the Dacca Division hereby appoints the persons specified under it to be Chairman and members respectively of that Board for a term of three years with effect from the date of publication of this notification —

Jamalpur subdivision, district Mymensingh

Manapara Debt Settlement Board

Maulvi Abbasali Talukdar, Chairman and Member

Members—Babu Naban Chandra Sarkar, Babu Monohar Chandra Barman, Munshi Amiruddin Sarker and Babu Niranjan Chandra Sarkar

No 4377J —4th September 1944 —Notification No 1473J , dated 22nd March 1943, published at page 716, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 8th April 1943, dissolving Gurai Debt Settlement Board in the Kishorganj subdivision of the Mymensingh district, is hereby cancelled

No 4587J —16th September 1944 —In exercise of the powers under sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in supersession of all previous notifications issued under the said sub-section in respect of the Debt Settlement Boards mentioned below, the Commissioner of the Dacca Division hereby appoints the persons specified under each of those Debt Settlement Boards to be Chairman and members respectively of those Boards for a term of three years, with effect from the 27th February 1944 .—

Kishorganj subdivision, district Mymensingh.

Keorejore Debt Settlement Board.

Maulvi Asiuzzaman Chowdhury, Member and Chairman

Members—Babu Ramani Mohan Chakraborty, Maulvi Autadul Chowdhury, Babu Benode Behari Kuri and Maulvi Abdul Mazid Bhuiya

Badla Debt Settlement Board

Maulvi Mir Kubbadali Bhuiya, Member and Chairman

Members--Maulvi Mobarak Ali, Babu Prohlad Chandra Roy, Maulvi Sadat Ali Bhuiya and Maulvi Abdur Rezzak Bhuiya

No. 4646J —20th September 1944.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 3(2) and 4 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, the Commissioner of the Dacca Division hereby cancels the appointment of Babu Nityananda Sutradhar as a member of the Nandina C. C Bank Special Debt Settlement Board in the Jamalpur subdivision of the Mymensingh district, which was published in notification No 337J , dated the 22nd January 1943, at page 307, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 18th February 1943, and appoints Babu Mohendra Chandra Das to be a member in his place.

No 4838J —12th October 1944.—In exercise of the powers under sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in supersession of all previous notifications issued under the said sub-section in respect of the Debt Settlement Board mentioned below, the Commissioner of the Dacca Division hereby appoints the persons specified under it to be Chairman and members respectively of that Board for a term of three years, with effect from the 26th August 1943 :—

Kishorganj subdivision, district Mymensingh.

Damiha Debt Settlement Board.

Maulvi Amiruddin Ahmed, Member and Chairman

Members—Babu Jogesh Chandra Sen, Babu Umesh Chandra Mallick, Maulvi Fazeruddin Bhuiya and Maulvi Abdus Samed

No 5136J —1st November 1944 —Babu Sudhansu Ranjan Sen, probationary Sub-Deputy Collector of Bhola in the district of Bakarganj, was allowed earned leave for six days, from the 20th August to the 25th August 1944, inclusive, under rule 167 of the Bengal Service Rules

No 5179J —4th November 1944 —In exercise of the powers conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), delegated to me under section 100(*c*) of the same Act, by notification No 5617J , dated the 10th July 1937, I appoint the following members of the union board mentioned below, to be, during their term of office as such members, a union bench within the jurisdiction of the said union board for which they are members for the purposes of that section —

Manikganj subdivision, district Dacca

Manikganj police-station

Bhararia union board

Babu Prem Charan Mahatma, Rai Mohan Mondal, Maulvi Keyamuddin Ahmed and Maulvi Asiruddin Dewan

2 This notification will take effect from the date of the first meeting of the reconstituted union board at which a quorum is present

No 5180J —4th November 1944 —In exercise of the powers conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), delegated to me under section 100(*c*) of the same Act, by notification No. 5617J., dated the 10th July 1937, I appoint the following members of the Bhararia union board within Manikganj police-station, in the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district, to be, during their term of office as such members, a union court within the jurisdiction of the said union board for the purposes of that section :—

Babu Prem Charan Mahatma, Rai Mohan Mondal, Maulvi Keyamuddin Ahmed and Maulvi Asiruddin Dewan.

No 5181J.—4th November 1944.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 65 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), delegated to me under section 100(*c*) of the same Act, by notification No. 5617J., dated the 10th July 1937, I appoint the following members of the union board mentioned below, to be, during their term of office as such members, a union bench within the jurisdiction of the said union board for which they are members for the purposes of that section.—

Manikganj subdivision, district Dacca
Harirampur police-station.
Gopinathpur union board.

Babu Prafulla Kumar Nag, Faizaddin Mollah, Babu Nripendra Kumr Kundoo and Afsaruddin Maulvi.

2. This notification will take effect from the date of the first meeting of the reconstituted union board at which a quorum is present

No. 5182J —4th November 1944 —In exercise of the powers conferred by section 73 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), delegated to me under section 100(*c*) of the same Act, by notification No. 5017J , dated the 10th July 1937, I appoint the following members of the Gopinathpur union board within Harirampur police-station, in the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district, to be, during their term of office as such members, a union court within the jurisdiction of the said union board for the purposes of that section:—

Babu Prafulla Kumar Nag, Faizaddin Mollah, Babu Nripendra Kumar Kundoo and Afsaruddin Maulvi.

A S. LARKIN, Commissioner

Dacca, the 4th November 1944

No. 2787(2)C —It is hereby notified for general information that—

(*a*) Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Gopinathpur union board in police-station Harirampur in the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district —

Babu Prafulla Kumar Nag, son of late Prasanna Kumar Nag

Babu Sarat Sashi Sarkar, son of Adhar Ch Sarkar

Faizaddin Mollah, son of Moohan Mollah

Afsaruddin Maulvi, son of Kalimuddin Munshi

Babu Nripendra Kumar Kundoo, son of late Nilkamal Kundoo

Babu Tarani Kanta Raha, son of Babu Rajani Kanta Raha

(*b*) Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the said union board —

Munshi Sona Ullah Sikder, son of late Rahimaddin Sikder

Babu Rakhal Chandra Das

Maulvi Akmaluddin Khan, son of Kazmat Khan

No. 2791C —It is hereby notified for general information that—

(*a*) Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Bhararia union board in police-station Manikganj in the Manikganj subdivision of the Dacca district:—

Ramendra Mohan Basu of Baruna, Rai Mohan Mandal of Khabaspur, Sukriti Mohan Saha of Balirtek, Prem Charan Mahatma of Sanbanda, Keyamaddin Ahmed of Baghia and Sarat Chandra Sarker of Kalashi

(*b*) Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the said union board·—

Purna Chandra Patuni, son of Abhoy Charan Patuni of Khabaspur.

Asiruddin Dewan, son of Kanu Dewan of Uttarpar Chailla.

Mominuddin Ahamed, son of late Md. Jamal

Dacca, the 8th November 1944

No. 2862C.—It is hereby notified for general information that—

(*a*) Under sub-section (*2*) of section 6 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), the following gentlemen have been duly elected to be members of the Harirampur union board in police-station Tejgaon in the Sadar (South) subdivision of the Dacca district·—

Babu Supati Ranjan Ghosh, Maulvi Zahirali Munshi, Maulvi Amjat Hossain, Babu Amulya Kumar Chaudhury, Maulvi Barek and Maulvi Kujrat Ali Molla.

(*b*) Under sub-section (*3*) of section 6 of the Act, the following gentlemen have been appointed by the District Magistrate of Dacca to be members of the said union board·—

Babu Jitendra Narayan Bardhan, Babu Sitanath Das and Babu Premananda Das.

F O BELL, District Magistrate.

Presidency Division—Calcutta.

No 1873R.L —21st October 1944.—In exercise of the powers under sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act, read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in supersession of all previous notifications issued under the said sub-section in respect of the Debt Settlement Board mentioned below, the Commissioner of the Presidency Division hereby appoints the persons specified under the Debt Settlement Board for a term of three years, with effect from 11th September 1944·—

Sadar subdivision, district Murshidabad
Berhampore Special Debt Settlement Board

Circle Officer, Sadar (South), Chairman (*ex-officio*)

Members—Babu Surendra Nath Ganguly, Babu Kedar Nath Mukherjee, Munshi Subajan Mia and Maulvi Golam Ahmed

No 1510R G —23rd October 1944.—Maulvi Muhammad Anisur Rahman, Sub-Deputy Collector, on probation Khulna, is granted earned leave for ten days, under rule 167 of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I, with effect from the 4th September 1944

No 1509R G —24th October 1944 —Maulvi Mirza Muhammad Abdul Aziz, Sub-Deputy Collector, Khulna, is granted leave on average pay for five days, under rule 184(*b*)(*ii*) of the Bengal Service Rules, Part I, with effect from the 3rd October 1944

No 1923R L —25th October 1944.—In exercise of the powers conferred under sub-section (*2*) of section 3 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to him under section 5 of the said Act read with section 22 of the Bengal General Clauses Act, 1899 (Bengal Act I of 1899), and in supersession of all previous notifications issued under the said sub-section in respect of the Special Debt Settlement Board named below, the Commissioner of the Presidency Division hereby appoints the following persons to be its Chairman and members for a term of three years, with effect from the date of publication of this notification·—

Bagerhat subdivision, district Khulna
Bagerhat Special Debt Settlement Board
(North Circle)

Special Officer (North Circle), Chairman

Members—Rai Sahib Kiran Chandra Das, Babu Kali Kanto Mallick, Maulvi Syed Khelafat Hossain and Maulvi Ukiluddin Mine.

No 525JJ.—29th October 1944.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 100B of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), delegated to the Commissioners of Divisions in accordance with the first proviso to the said section under Government notification No 6309J., dated 7th August 1937, I appoint Munshi Maniruddin Biswas, a member of the Agardari union board within the police-station Satkhira in the Satkhira subdivision of the Khulna district, to be, during his term of office as such member, a member of the union bench constituted under section 65 of the said Act within the jurisdiction of the said union board, *vice* Munshi Tasimuddin Sardar, deceased

No. 1195M —10th November 1944 —In accordance with section 50 of the Bengal Municipal Act, 1932 (Bengal Act XV of 1932), it is hereby notified for general information that Mr. A Donald and Babu Probodh Chandra Ghosal have been duly elected Chairman and Vice-Chairman, respectively of the Kamarhati Municipality in the district of the 24-Parganas.

A S HANDS, Commissioner

Khulna, the 8th November 1944

It is hereby notified for general information, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 35 of the rules for the election and appointment of members of union boards, that Maulvi Tamijuddin Shaikh has been duly elected to be a member of the Krishnanagar union board in police-station Kaliganj in the Satkhira subdivision of the district of Khulna, *vice* Maulvi Mokbul Hossain Shaikh, deceased

J GEORGE, District Magistrate

Orders by the Regional Transport Authority, Calcutta Region

The 10th November 1944

Applications have been received from the following persons for Public Carrier Permits within the Calcutta Region and the Trunk Road except (i) Barasat to Itindaghat, (ii) Andul Road to Shibpur, (iii) Howrah to Domjur or Baluhati, (iv) Baruipur-Bishnupur Road and (v) Sakherbazar to Diamond Harbour Road and are available for inspection at the office of the Regional Transport Authority, Calcutta Region, at 38, Beltola Road, Calcutta

The applications will be considered on or after the 1st December 1944

(1) Howrah Transport Co of 769, Circular Road, Howrah

(2) Kalipada Chakravarty, C/o New Bengal Motor Hospital, 1, Ultadanga Road, Calcutta

(3) D D Khanna of 10, Harrison Road, Calcutta

(4) Anandilall Poddar of 115/A, Chittaranjan Avenue, Calcutta

(5) Messrs P C Biswas & Co of 22, Jatin Das Road, Calcutta

(6) Messrs P C Biswas & Co of 22, Jatin Das Road, Calcutta

(7) Hari Pujan Chowdhury of Sahapur, Tollygunge, 24-Parganas

H S GHOSE CHAUDHURI, Secy

Orders by the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, C. I. D.

Alipore —No 15113R —7th November 1944 —Babu Prasad Das Bhattacharji, Inspector, 24-Parganas, on deputation to the temporary staff of this department, is granted 1 month's leave on average pay, on medical certificate, under rule 81(*b*)(*ii*) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from 1-10-1944, a m

C J MINISTER, Dy Inspr -Genl

Orders by the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Presidency Range

Alipore —No. 580 —4th November 1944.—Babu Pramatha Nath Chakrabatti Inspector, Jessore, at present officiating as Deputy Superintendent of Police, Noakhali, is posted to Nadia from 16-9-1944, a.m

Sub-Inspector Chandi Charan Mukharji of the 24-Parganas is appointed to act as Inspector, Nadia, in the vacancy from the same date.

Maulvi Muhammad Fakir Chand, Inspector, Nadia, is transferred to Jessore from 16-9-1944, a.m.

The transfers involved in the above orders are effected in the interests of the public service.

This cancels the orders published in notification No 4027, dated 16th September 1944, published in the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 28th September 1944.

S G. TAYLOR, Dy. Inspr.-Genl.

Rajshahi Division—Jalpaiguri.

No 2372J —23rd October 1944 —In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 3(2) and 4 of the Bengal Agricultural Debtors Act, 1935 (Bengal Act VII of 1936), delegated to me under section 5 of the said Act, I hereby appoint Maulvi Khyrat Ali Talukdar as a member of the Bogra Special Debt Settlement Board in the Sadar subdivision of the Bogra district in place of Maulvi Abdul Karim removed, *vide* notification No 977(A)J., dated 28th April 1944, published at page 939, Part I of the *Calcutta Gazette*, dated 20th July 1944

K G MORSHED, Commissioner

Rajshahi, the 7th November 1944.

No 2943 —It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 35 of the rules for the election and appointment of members of union boards, Maulvi Rupchand Sarcar has been duly elected to be a member of the Beaghat union board, in the police-station Gurudaspur, within the Nator subdivision of the district of Rajshahi, *vice* Maulvi Samiruddin Sarker, deceased

No 2943 —It is hereby notified for general information that, under section 13 of the Bengal Village Self-Government Act, 1919 (Bengal Act V of 1919), read with rule 35 of the rules for the election and appointment of members of union boards, Maulvi Moser Pramanik has been duly elected to be a member of the Dayarampur union board, in police-station Bagatipara, within the Nator subdivision of the district of Rajshahi, *vice* Maulvi Dabiruddin Sarder, deceased

C H McNEIL, Lt.-Col.,
District Magistrate.

Malda, the 6th November 1944

No 1 —The following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the managing committee of the Malda Zilla School for a period of three years with effect from December 1944 –

District Magistrate, Malda, President (*ex-officio*)

The Head Master, Malda Zilla School, Vice-President and Secretary (*ex-officio*)

Babu Karunamoy Bagchi, Assistant Head Master, Malda Zilla School, representative of the teaching staff

Maulvi Mahammad Hossain, a retired teacher of the Malda Zilla School, representative of parents and guardians

Babu Bhutesh Chandra Mitra, Pleader, representative of parents and guardians

Dr B K Bhattacharjya, Civil Surgeon, Malda, an official member

R SINHA, District Magistrate

ORDERS AND NOTIFICATIONS OF THE COMMISSIONER OF INCOME-TAX BENGAL

No 18292/2E/57/44-45C T —6th November 1944 —Mr. N. B. Banerjee, M.A , Income-tax Officer, District IV(2), Calcutta, was allowed, under Fundamental Rule 81(*b*)(*ii*), leave on average pay for five days, with effect from the 3rd October 1944 to 7th October 1944, with permission to prefix the Idul-fitr and the Durga Puja holidays from the 19th September 1944 to 2nd October 1944 and to affix Sunday, the 8th October 1944, to the leave.

I certify for the purpose of Supplementary Rule 6-D that the officer was likely to return on the expiry of his leave to the post from which he proceeded on leave.

P. C. PADHI, Commissioner.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION.

The Charitable Endowments Act, 1890.

No. 1698C./Edn. — 11th November 1944.— **WHEREAS** Mrs. Usha Halder has collected subscriptions from various persons for the purpose of establishing a trust fund for the object set-forth in the Second Schedule hereunder written **AND WHEREAS** the said subscriptions have been invested and are now represented by the Securities the particulars whereof are set out in the First Schedule hereunder written **AND WHEREAS** Mrs. Usha Halder has formed a Managing Committee and transferred the said Securities to the said Committee their Successors and assigns who have again transferred the said Securities to the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments, Bengal, **AND WHEREAS** the said Securities are held by the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments, Bengal, as trustee for the said object **AND WHEREAS** the said Mrs Usha Halder is desirous of creating a trust fund to be called "**RABINDRA SMRITI FUND**" for the object set out in the said Second Schedule hereunder written **NOW IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED** that the Governor in exercise of the power conferred upon him by Sections 4 and 5 of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890 (II of 1890), and upon the applications of and with the concurrence of all the members of the said Committee doth hereby order and direct that the Securities the particulars whereof are set out in the First Schedule hereunder written shall as from the date of publication of this notification in the *Calcutta Gazette* vest and be thenceforth vested in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the Province of Bengal to be held by him and his Successors subject to the provisions of the said Act and the rules from time to time framed thereunder upon trust to hold the said Securities and receive the interest thereon when and as the same shall become payable and from time to time to apply the said interest in accordance with the trusts and terms set out in the Scheme set forth in the Second Schedule hereunder written **AND IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED** that the said Scheme shall come into operation on the vesting of the said Securities in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments **AND IT IS HEREBY FURTHER NOTIFIED** that the amount from time to time invested by the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments and his Successors under the provisions of Clause 3 of the said Scheme shall from the respective dates of investment vest and be thenceforth vested in the said Treasurer of Charitable Endowments and his Successors and shall be held by him and his Successors upon the same trust as is hereby declared in respect of the Securities the particulars whereof are set out in the First Schedule hereunder written

The First Schedule above referred to.

	Rs
(1) 3½ per cent G P Notes No CA004852 of 1842-43 for	500
(2) 3½ per cent G P Notes No CA025985 of 1900-1 for	500
(3) 3½ per cent G P Notes No CA014410 of 1842-43 for	400
(4) 3½ per cent G P. Notes No CA018218 of 1865 for	200
(5) 3½ per cent. G. P Notes No. CA031848 1900-1 for	5,000
(6) 3½ per cent. G P Notes No CA-031941-47 for Rs. 500 each of 1900-1 for	3,500
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all dealers in Swiss Razor blades, importers, wholesalers and retailers, to exhibit a price-list at a prominent place in the shop showing clearly the selling prices as fixed by the Central Government under Notification No 1/2 (97)/44-CG (CS), dated the 16th September 1944 subject to the following conditions —

1. Prices shall be written legibly in English or the local language of the district, and

2 the price-list will be shown to any purchaser who makes enquiry about the correct selling prices

C S DESAI, Controller General of Civil Supplies

New Delhi, the 16th September 1944

No 21 (4)-G C /44.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the Footwear Control Order, 1944, namely.—

(1) In the said order,—after the proviso to sub-clause (1) of clause 4, the following proviso shall be added, namely:—

"Provided also that in the case of a footwear not specified in Schedules I and II a manufacturer or a factory shall not sell to a retailer such footwear at a price in excess of 75 per cent. of the retail price marked on the footwear

Provided further that where a retailer is required to pay octroi charges in excess of three pies in a rupee he may add separately to the price such charges to the extent of the excess so paid and recover the amount from the customer"

(2) Below each of the clauses 4 and 5, the following Explanation shall be inserted:—

"*Explanation.*—The transportation charges relating to rail journeys refer only to freight charges by goods train If a retailer desires the stores to be sent to him by a passenger train, Post

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Bombay, the 22nd September 1944

No 1/2(109)/44-CG (CS) —In pursuance of Section 9 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), I hereby authorise —

(a) Any accredited distributor of, or authorised dealer in Gramophone Mainsprings, Soundboxes and spare parts of a particular make to refuse to sell any spare parts of that make if—

(i) the spare parts are required otherwise than for servicing a gramophone of that make, or (ii) the intending purchaser does not, on a request being made in that behalf, furnish correct information as to the model for servicing whereof the spare parts are required, and the name of the owner thereof,

(b) any accredited distributor of gramophones of a particular make to refuse to sell spare parts of that make to a person other than an authorised dealer therein or a dealer approved in this behalf by the Controller General of Civil Supplies,

(c) any retail dealer to refuse to sell spare parts of a gramophone unless the intending purchaser returns the spare part in replacement whereof he wishes to purchase the new part

No 1/2(110)/44-CG (CS) —In exercise of the powers under Section 11(1A) of the Hoarding & Profiteering Prevention Ordinance (No XXXV of 1943), as amended, I hereby direct all dealers in domestic crockery to mark all articles of crockery exposed or intended for sale with sale prices

(2) Where the articles are intended for sale individually, the marking shall be done either by stamping or by pasting to each article a slip of paper bearing its price in ink

(3) Where the articles are sold or intended to be sold by sets, any one piece of the set shall be so stamped or pasted with the price of the whole set and the number of pieces in the set shall be stated thereon.

The Second Schedule above referred to.

Scheme of Management

1 The Endowment shall be called "Rabindra Smriti Fund"

2. The object of the Fund shall be to run the Bankura Maternity and Child Welfare Clinic by contributing such portion of the income of the fund as might be necessary for the maintenance of the Bankura Maternity and Child Welfare Clinic Under no circumstances the income of the fund shall ordinarily be spent for any other purposes

3 The Trust shall be managed by a committee of members hereinafter called the Managing Committee The Managing Committee shall have power to act notwithstanding any vacancy in the body so long as there be at least five members The Managing Committee at present consist of the following members —

(1) Mrs Usha Halder, Founder and President.
(2) Rai S K Sahana Bahadur, Vice-President
(3) Mr Dhirendra Kumar Mukherji, Member.
(4) Mr Gunamoy Chatterjee, Member and Secretary.
(5) Rai Kumud Krishna Banerji Bahadur, Member
(6) Mr Nirmal Prosad Banerjee, Member
(7) Rai Sahib Ramrabi Mukherji, Member
(8) Dr Durgadas Gupta, Member
(9) Dr. Ramgati Banerjee, Member
(10) Mrs S K Sahana, Member
(11) Mr B C Chatterjee, Member
(12) Mr Debendra Chandra Ganguli, Member

When the place of a member of the Managing Committee becomes vacant, the vacancy so caused shall be filled up by election at a meeting of the Managing Committee in such manner as the Managing Committee may determine

4. The Managing Committee shall be the Administrators of the Fund. The members of the Managing Committee shall elect a Secretary from amongst them who shall be authorised to (1) receive the income of the fund, and (2) disburse the same according to general instructions issued by the Managing Committee The Secretary shall be answerable to the Committee for maintaining proper accounts.

5 The Treasurer of Charitable Endowments, Bengal, shall pay over to the Secretary of the said Managing Committee the income of the fund after deducting therefrom incidental and legitimate expenses incurred by the Treasurer in connection with the realisation of the income.

6 The Secretary shall draw up monthly bills of expenditure as approved by the Managing Committee and shall pass orders for payment and sign withdrawal form

7 The accounts of the fund shall be audited periodically by the Examiner of Local Accounts.

8 The Managing Committee shall see that the income derived from the fund is duly utilised mainly for the benefit of the Bankura Maternity and Child Welfare Clinic and shall exercise supervision and control over the fund

9. The Managing Committee shall meet at least once in every 4 months The Secretary shall be competent to convene a meeting whenever necessary

10. In the event of the Bankura Maternity and Child Welfare Clinic being abolished for any reason whatsoever, the said Fund shall be held in trust for such public cause as the Managing Committee may decide

By order of the Governor,
K. C BASAK, Secy.

Calcutta

The applications will be considered on or after the 1st December 1944

(1) Howrah Transport Co of 769, Circular Road, Howrah

(2) Kalipada Chakravarty, C/o New Bengal Motor Hospital, 1, Ultadanga Road, Calcutta

(3) D D Khanna of 10, Harrison Road, Calcutta

(4) Anandilall Poddar of 115/A, Chittaranjan Avenue, Calcutta

(5) Messrs P C Biswas & Co of 22, Jatin Das Road, Calcutta

(6) Messrs P C Biswas & Co of 22, Jatin Das Road, Calcutta

(7) Ham Pujan Chowdhury of Sahapur, Tollygunge, 24-Parganas

H S GHOSE CHAUDHURI, Secy

Orders by the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, C. I. D.

Alipore —No 15113R —7th November 1944.—Babu Prasad Das Bhattacharji, Inspector, 24-Parganas, on deputation to the temporary staff of this department, is granted 1 month's leave on average pay, on medical certificate, under rule 81(b)(ii) of the Fundamental Rules, with effect from 1-10-1944 a m

C J MINISTER, Dy Inspr -Genl

Orders by the Deputy Inspector-General of Police, Presidency Range

Alipore.—No. 1580 —4th November 1944.—Babu Pramatha Nath Chakrabatti, Inspector, Jessore, at present officiating as Deputy Superintendent of Police, Noakhali, is posted to Nadia from 16-9-1944, a.m

Sub-Inspector Chandi Charan Mukharji of the 24-Parganas is appointed to act as Inspector, Nadia, in the vacancy from the same date

Maulvi Muhammad Fakir Chand, Inspector, Nadia, is transferred to Jessore from 16-9-1944, a.m

The transfers involved in the above orders are effected in the interests of the public service.

police-station Bagatipara, division of the district of Rajshahi, *vice* Maulvi Dabiruddin Sarder, deceased

C H McNEIL, Lt.-Col.,
District Magistrate

Malda, the 6th November 1944

No 1 —The following gentlemen have been appointed as members of the managing committee of the Malda Zilla School for a period of three years with effect from December 1944 —

District Magistrate, Malda, President (*ex-officio*)

The Head Master, Malda Zilla School, Vice-President and Secretary (*ex-officio*)

Babu Karunamoy Bagchi, Assistant Head Master, Malda Zilla School, representative of the teaching staff

Maulvi Mahammad Hossain, a retired teacher of the Malda Zilla School, representative of parents and guardians.

Babu Bhutesh Chandra Mitra, Pleader, representative of parents and guardians.

Dr B K Bhattacharjya, Civil Surgeon, Malda, an official member

R SINHA, District Magistrate.

ORDERS AND NOTIFICATIONS OF THE COMMISSIONER OF INCOME-TAX BENGAL

No 18292/2E/37/44-45C T —6th November 1944 —Mr. N. B Banerjee, M.A., Income-tax Officer, District IV(2), Calcutta, was allowed, under Fundamental Rule 81(b)(ii), leave on average pay for five days, with effect from the 3rd October 1944 to 7th October 1944, with permission to prefix the Idul-fitr and the Durga Puja holidays from the 19th September 1944 to 2nd October 1944 and to affix Sunday, the 8th October 1944, to the leave.

I certify for the purpose of Supplementary Rule 6-D that the officer was likely to return on the expiry of his leave to the post from which he proceeded on leave.

P. C. PADHI, Commissioner.

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PART IA—Orders and Notifications by the Government of India republished for general information.

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND CIVIL SUPPLIES.

Bombay, the 16th September 1944.

No. 1/2 (97)44-CG (CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of Section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to fix as follows the maximum prices which may be charged by a dealer in respect of Swiss Razor Blades specified in the schedule below —

Description	Importer s issue price	Wholesale selling price	Retail selling price.
Swiss Razor Blades	Re 0 7 0 per packet of ten	Re 0 8 0 per packet of ten	Re 0 9 0 per packet of ten

C C DESAI, Joint Secy

Bombay, the 16th September 1944

No 1/2 (98)/44-CG (CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 11 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), I call upon all dealers in Swiss Razor blades, Importers, wholesalers and retailers, to exhibit a price-list at a prominent place in the shop showing clearly the selling prices as fixed by the Central Government under Notification No 1/2 (97)/44-CG (CS), dated the 16th September 1944 subject to the following conditions —

1 Prices shall be written legibly in English or the local language of the district, and

2 the price-list will be shown to any purchaser who makes enquiry about the correct selling prices

C S DESAI, Controller General of Civil Supplies

New Delhi, the 16th September 1944

No 21 (4)-G. C /44 —In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the Footwear Control Order, 1944, namely.—

(1) In the said order,—after the proviso to sub-clause (1) of clause 4, the following proviso shall be added, namely —

"Provided also that in the case of a footwear not specified in Schedules I and II a manufacturer or a factory shall not sell to a retailer such footwear at a price in excess of 75 per cent of the retail price marked on the footwear

Provided further that where a retailer is required to pay octroi charges in excess of three pies in a rupee he may add separately to the price such charges to the extent of the excess so paid and recover the amount from the customer"

(2) Below each of the clauses 4 and 5, the following Explanation shall be inserted —

"*Explanation.*—The transportation charges relating to rail journeys refer only to freight charges by goods train. If a retailer desires the stocks to be sent to him by a passenger train, Post Parcel or any other more expensive mode of conveyance, the extra cost involved shall be borne by the consignor or the consignee as might be agreed between them"

H AHMED, Dy Secy.

New Delhi, the 16th September 1944

No 22 (22)-AP/43 —In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Civil Supplies, No F 22 (22)-A P /43, dated the 19th August 1944, namely —

I In the preamble to the said notification, for the words "maximum prices" the words "maximum retail prices" shall be substituted

II In the Schedule annexed to the said notification, in paragraph "II-Sawn timber" and sub-paragraph "(iii) Scantlings", for the figures "9 2 0", the figures "8 2 0" shall be substituted.

R A MAHAMADI, Dy Secy

Bombay, the 22nd September 1944

No 1/2(109)44-CG (CS) - In pursuance of Section 9 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), I hereby authorise —

(a) Any accredited distributor of, or authorised dealer in Gramophone Mainsprins, Soundboxes and spare parts of a particular make to refuse to sell any spare parts of that make if –

(i) the spare parts are required otherwise than for servicing a gramophone of that make; or (ii) the intending purchaser does not, on a request being made in that behalf, furnish correct information as to the model for servicing whereof the spare parts are required, and the name of the owner thereof,

(b) any accredited distributor of gramophones of a particular make to refuse to sell spare parts of that make to a person other than an authorised dealer therein or a dealer approved in this behalf by the Controller General of Civil Supplies,

(c) any retail dealer to refuse to sell spare parts of a gramophone unless the intending purchaser returns the spare part in replacement whereof he wishes to purchase the new part

No 1/2(110)/44-CG (CS) —In exercise of the powers under Section 11(1A) of the Hoarding & Profiteering Prevention Ordinance (No XXXV of 1943), as amended, I hereby direct all dealers in domestic crockery to mark all articles of crockery exposed or intended for sale with sale prices

(2) Where the articles are intended for sale individually, the marking shall be done either by stamping or by pasting to each article a slip of paper bearing its price in ink

(3) Where the articles are sold or intended to be sold by sets, any one piece of the set shall be so stamped or pasted with the price of the whole set and the number of pieces in the set shall be stated thereon.

No 1/2(112)/44-CG (CS).—In pursuance of Section 9 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance XXXV of 1943, as subsequently amended, I hereby authorise—

(a) any importer or producer of electric bulbs to refuse to sell bulbs except to a retail dealer who was the previous customer of such impórter or producer or a dealer approved in this behalf by the Controller General of Civil Supplies,

(b) any retail dealer in electric bulbs to refuse to sell a bulb to a consumer unless—

(1) the intending purchaser returns the bulb or bulbs in replacement whereof he wishes to purchase the new bulb or bulbs,

or (2) the intending purchaser produces a special permit from the District Magistrate of the District or from the Deputy Controller General of Civil Supplies of the region in which the retail dealer is carrying on his business

C. C DESAI, Contr Genl of Civil Supplies

Bombay, the 30th September 1944.

No 1/2(96)/44-CG(CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Civil Supplies, No S/3/29/41, dated the 21st March 1944, namely —

In the said notification, for the figures and words "2-0-0 tin of 50", against the entry "Carlton's Special Magnums" the following shall be substituted, namely --

"0-6-0 per packet of 10
33-8-0 per 1,000 (wholesale price) "

No 1/2(103)/44-CG(CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Civil Supplies, No 1/2(26)/44-CG(CS), dated the 4th April 1944, the Central Government is pleased to fix, as follows the maximum prices which may be charged by a dealer or producer in respect of the brands of cigarettes specified below Provided that where cigarettes are subject to any local or provincial taxation, the dealers of that locality may charge a price in excess of the maximum which would be just sufficient to cover the tax

(a) Brand of Messrs The Golden Tobacco Company, Bombay --

	Wholesale price	Retail selling price
Refyl	Rs 18 12 0 per thousand cigarettes	Re 0 3 6 per packet of ten cigarettes

(b) Brands of Messrs J James Caterbury & Co --

	Wholesale price F O R Retailer's destination Rs a p		Consumers' price Rs a p	
Mohawk 20's	23 12 0	per 1 000	0 9 0	per packet of 20
Astor De Luxe (50's)	21 6 0	,,	1 2 6	per tin of 50
Astor De Luxe (10's)	18 7 0	,,	0 3 6	per packet of 10.
G V 50's	18 3 9	,,	1 0 0	per tin of 50
G V 10's	16 11 0	,	0 3 0	per packet of 10
Army Special 50's	13 5 6	,,	0 12 0	per tin of 50
Army Special 10's	12 13 9	,	0 2 6	per packet of 10
Astor De Luxe (Mag) 50's	24 4 0	,,	1 6 0	per tin of 50
Astor De Luxe (Mag) 10's	23 0 0	,	0 4 0	per packet of 10.

(c) **Brands of Messrs. Vazir Sultan Tobacco Company Ltd., Hyderabad (Deccan):—**

	Retail price. Rs a p	
Char Minar	0 1 3	per packet of 10
Shah i Deccan	0 1 3	per packet of 10

C. C. DESAI, Joint Secy.

Bombay, the 30th September 1944

No 1/2(104)/44-CG(CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 11 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No. XXXV of 1943), I call upon all dealers in cigarettes, wholesalers and retailers, to exhibit a price list at a prominent place in the shop showing clearly the retail selling prices as fixed by the Central Government under Notification No. 1/2(103)44/-CG(CS), dated the 30th September 1944, subject to the following conditions:—

(1) Prices shall be written legibly in English or the local language of the district;

(2) the price-list shall be shown to any purchaser who makes enquiry about the correct selling prices

C C DESAI, Contr Genl. of Civil Supplies.

New Delhi, the 30th September 1944.

No 90(50)-C/44 —In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Civil Supplies No 90-C(43)/44, dated the 21st August 1944, namely —

To the said notification, the following proviso shall be added, namely —

"Provided that for the utensils manufactured at Moradabad with "*Moradabad Kalai*" both inside and outside, the maximum retail price shall be Rs 3 per lb "

J D KAPADIA, Dy Secy

Bombay, the 14th September 1944

No 1/2(105)/44-CG(CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 11 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), I hereby call upon all dealers in Vegetable Ghee, wholesalers and retailers to exhibit a price-list at a prominent place in the shop showing clearly the retail selling prices as fixed by the Central Government under Notification No F22(164)-AP/44, dated the 26th August 1944, subject to the following conditions.—

1 Prices shall be written legibly in English or in the local language of the district; and

2 The price list will be shown to any purchaser who makes enquiry about the correct selling prices

Bombay, the 18th September 1944.

No 1/2(106)/44-CG(CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No. XXXV of 1943), I hereby direct that notification No 1/2(62)/44-CG(CS), dated the 4th July 1944, directing exhibition of price-list of retail selling prices of bolts, nuts and rivets as fixed by the Central Government Notification No. 1/2(52)/44-CG(CS), dated the 1st July 1944, shall be cancelled

Bombay, the 23rd September 1944.

No. 1/2(100)/44-CG(CS).—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 11 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance, No. XXXV of 1943), I call upon all dealers in Camphor Tablets to exhibit at a prominent place in the shop a price-list showing clearly the wholesale and retail selling prices of Camphor tablets as fixed by the Central Government under notification No. 1/2(99)/44-CG(CS), dated the 23rd September 1944, subject to the following conditions:—

(1) Prices shall be written in English or the local language of the district;

(2) The price-list will be shown to any purchaser who makes enquiry about the correct selling prices

C. C DESAI, Controller General of Civil Supplies

Bombay, the 23rd September 1944

No. 1/2(99)/44-CG(CS)—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to fix as follows the maximum prices of Camphor Tablets of various sizes specified in the schedule below —

Description	Retail selling prices for tablets Rs a p
1 lb slab or as 3 × 1/3 lb slabs	6 1 0 per lb.
1 oz ½ oz ¼ oz 1/8 oz tablets	6 11 0 per lb
1/80 oz and 1/28 oz tablets	5 14 0 per ½ lb tin
1/160 oz. tablets	2 6 0 per ¼ lb tin

Description	Retail selling price for tablets loose Rs a p
1 lb slabs	6 1 0
1/3 lbs slabs	2 1 0
1 oz tablets	0 7 0
½ oz tablets	0 4 0
¼ oz tablets	0 2 0
1/8 oz tablets	0 1 0
1/28 oz tablets	0 0 4
1/80 oz tablets	0 0 2
1/160 oz tablets	0 0 1

C S DESAI, Joint Secy.

New Delhi, the 23rd September 1944

No 21(7)-G C/44—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to fix the prices in respect of E I Tanned Kips specified below —

		Prime Tannage Rs a p	Coconadas Rs a p	Best Tannage Rs a p
4/4½ lbs	II	1 12 1	1 10 11	1 10 3
	Run	1 9 10	1 8 8	1 8 0
	IV	1 7 6	1 6 5	1 5 9
	V	1 4 4	1 3 2	1 2 9
5/5½ lbs	II	1 12 1	1 10 11	1 10 3
	Run	1 9 10	1 8 8	1 8 0
	IV	1 7 6	1 6 5	1 5 9
	V	1 4 4	1 3 2	1 2 9
6/6½ lbs	II		1 10 11	
	Run		1 8 8	
	IV		1 6 5	
	V		1 3 2	
7/7½ lbs	II		1 12 2	
	Run		1 9 6	
	IV		1 6 10	
	V		1 3 0	
8/8½ lbs	II	1 12 3		1 11 0
	Run	1 9 7		1 8 3
	IV	1 6 11		1 5 6
	V	1 3 1		1 1 8
10/12 lbs	II	1 12 3	1 12 2	1 11 0
	Run	1 9 7	1 9 6	1 8 3
	IV	1 6 11	1 6 10	1 5 6
	V	1 3 1	1 3 0	1 1 8
15/16 lbs	II	1 6 4	1 6 4	1 5 8
	Run	1 3 11	1 3 11	1 3 3
	IV	1 1 7	1 1 7	1 1 0
	V	0 14 8	0 14 8	0 13 10

Prime Triches in |MKM| Mark at annas three per lb. above Prime Tannage

Prime Triches in |MHS| and |SS| marks at 0 2 0 above Prime Tannage

Inferior Fifths.	Rs. a. p
4/4½ lbs.	1 0 1
5/5½ lbs.	1 0 1
7/7½ lbs.	0 15 6
10/12 lbs.	0 15 4
8/8½ lbs.	0 15 6
6/6½ lbs.	1 0 1
15/16 lbs.	0 11 11

Cow Calf—Range upto 3 lbs.

	Prime Tannage. Rs. a. p.	Coasts. Rs. a p	Best Tannage. Rs. a. p.
II	2 2 1	2 1 3	2 0 1
Run(20/60/20)	1 15 4	2 14 2	1 13 2
IV	1 12 1	1 11 2	1 10 0

Cow Calf in all grades range upto 4 lbs. at annas two per lb less than range upto 3 lbs

"Inferior Fourths" Cow Calf at annas six per lb. less than best Cow Calf Fourths

Buff Calf—Range under 4 lbs

	Prime Tannage Rs a p	Prime and Best Tannage Rs a p	Coasts. Rs a p	Best Tannage. Rs. a. p
II	1 5 0	1 4 7	1 4 1	1 4 1
Run 50/50	1 3 6	1 3 0	1 2 6	1 2 6
III	1 2 0	1 1 7	1 0 11	1 0 11

Inferior III Buff Calf all Tannages Re 0 11 11

Notes —1 In this Notification E I Kips will mean vegetable tanned cow hides, cow calf and buff calf a described in the schedule

2 The prices as notified in the schedule (above) are applicable from the 1st September 1944 to the 31st December 1944

3 From the 1st January 1945 to the 31st March 1945 the prices for all grades and weights of E I Tanned Kips will be reduced by 0 1 6 per lb but prices of cow and buff calf will remain as given in the schedule until further notice

4 From the 1st April 1945 there will be a further reduction of 0 1 6 per lb on all grades and weights of E I Tanned Kips but prices of cow and buff calf will remain unaltered until further notice

5 Maximum prices at which E I Tanned Kips may be sold are as follows

(a) Retail sales to consumers in India Schedule prices *plus* 10% to which may be added a freight allowance as given below

For sales in Province of	Per lb Rs a p.
Bengal	0 0 3
U P	0 0 8
Punjab	0 1 4
Bombay	0 0 3
N W F	0 1 7
Bihar	0 1 2
C P	0 0 8
Sind	0 1 0
Orissa	0 0 9

(b) Sales to direct importers Schedule prices *plus* 3%

(c) Other sales Schedule prices

The above maximum prices are for delivery to purchaser including all charges

H AHMED, Dy Secy

Bombay the 7th October 1944

No 1/2(107)/44-CG(CS) In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to fix at follows the maximum retail prices which may be charged by a dealer in respect of certain Indian made fountain pens specified below.—

Serial No	Description and make	Maximum retail selling price per piece Rs a p
	"Master" fountain pens	
1	Junior size	5 0 0
2	Baby size	3 8 0

Note A discount of 20 per cent by manufacturers to wholesalers and 10 per cent by wholesalers to retail dealers (local and upcountry) should be allowed on the above prices

No 1/2(113)/44-CG(CS)—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No. XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to fix as follows the maximum selling prices which a Distributor or a dealer may charge in respect of clock specified in the schedule below —

Description		Distributor's price to wholesalers	Distributor's price to retailers.	Retail selling price
		Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p
Westclox "American Model	Canada	8 2 0	8 11 0	12 0 0 per clock

No 1/2(115)/44CG(CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to fix as follows the maximum prices, both wholesale and retail, which may be charged by a dealer in respect of Rubie blades —

Description	Importer's issue price to wholesaler	Wholesaler's issue price to retailers	Retail selling price per box of ten (10)
	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p
Rubie Blades	5 0 0 per carton of 100 blades	5 4 0 per carton of 100 blades	0 12 0

Bombay, the 14th October 1944

No S/3/128-CG(CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to fix as follows the maximum prices, both wholesale and retail, which may be charged by a dealer, in respect of imported Thermoses

Description	Pints	Retail selling prices
Eagle—Brand		Rs a p
Narrowmouth	1	2 10 0
"	1½	3 6 0
"	2	3 12 0
Narrowmouth with China Cup	2	6 0 0
Widemouth Food jar	3/4	4 3 6
" "	1·1/5	6 3 0
" "	2	8 7 0
" "	2¼	8 10 0
" "	3	11 10 0
" "	4	12 6 0
" "	5	13 8 0
" "	6	18 6 0
" "	7	23 4 0
" "	8	25 11 0
" "	10	31 8 0
Chromium Plated Jug	3	25 8 0

A discount of 12½ per cent on these prices will be allowed to wholesalers Freight and packing charges will be borne by importers

C C DESAI, Joint Secy.

Bombay, the 7th October 1944

No 1/2(108)44-CG(CS).—In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 11 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (XXXV of 1943), I call upon all dealers in "Master" fountain pens, wholesalers and retailers, to exhibit a price-list at a prominent place in their shops showing clearly the retail selling prices as fixed by the Central Government under notification No 1/2(107)/44CG(CS) dated 7th October 1944 subject to the following conditions

1 Prices shall be written legibly in English or the local language of the district, and

2 The price-list will be shown to any purchaser who makes enquiry about the correct selling prices.

No 1/2(114)/44-CG(CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 11 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), I call upon all dealers in clocks (described as the "Westclox Canada American" model to exhibit a price-list at a prominent place in their shops showing clearly the retail selling price for the clock as fixed by the Central Government under notification No 1/2(113)/44-CG(CS), dated the 7th October 1944, subject to the following conditions:—

(1) The price shall be written legibly in English or the local language of the district; and

2 the price-list will be shown to any purchaser who makes enquiry about the correct selling price

No 1/2(116)/44-CG(CS).—In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 11 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (No XXXV of 1943), I hereby call upon all dealers in Rubie Blades to exhibit a price list at a prominent place in their shops showing clearly the wholesale and retail selling prices as fixed by the Central Government under notification No 1/2(115)44-CG(CS), dated the 7th October 1944, subject to the following conditions.—

(1) Prices shall be written legibly in English or the local language of the district; and

(2) the price list shall be shown to any purchaser who makes enquiry about the correct selling price

Bombay, the 14th October 1944.

No 1/2(117)/44-CG(CS) —In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section 11 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), I call upon all dealers in Thermoses or Thermos-flasks to exhibit a price-list at a prominent place in the shop showing clearly the wholesale and retail selling prices as fixed by the Central Government under notification No S/3/128-CG(CS), dated the 15th October 1944, subject to the following conditions —

(1) Prices shall be written in English or the local language of the district, and

(2) the price-list will be shown to any purchaser who makes enquiry about the correct selling prices

C C DESAI, Contr Genl of Civil Supplies

New Delhi, the 14th October 1944

No 21(4)-G C /44 —In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the Footwear Control Order, 1944, namely —

I In the said Order,—

(1) Below clause 5, the following note shall be inserted, namely.—

"Note —In all calculations under this clause the price shall be rounded off to the nearest anna, half an anna and above being counted as one anna and fractions less than half an anna being omitted "

(2) In clause 7,—

(a) in sub-clause (1), after words "on the sole thereof", the words "or, in the case of footwear of small size or where impressing on the sole is not practicable, shall have clearly marked in indelible ink on the inner sole or side thereof" shall be inserted,

(b) in sub-clause (2), for the words "unless he has clearly impressed on the sole thereof the particulars required by the words "which does not conform to the requirements of" shall be substituted,

(c) in the proviso to sub-clause (2), for the words "clearly impress on the soles of such footwear the particulars required by", the words "be responsible for impressing or marking on the footwear all particulars in accordance with" shall be substituted.

II. In Schedule III to the said Order,—

(1) In Part A—

(i) for the entries in columns 2 to 5 against "Type No 5" the following shall be substituted:—

"8 6 0 | 7 10 0 | 6 10 0 | 4 15 0" |

(ii) for the entries relating to "Type No. 11" the following shall be substituted:—

	Children's sizes 0 to 5	Children's sizes 6 to 9
	Rs a p	Rs a p
"Type No. 11" Children's footwear other than descriptions mentioned above	3 0 0	3 12 0

(2) or Part B, the following shall be substituted:—

(3) In part C,—

(i) for the entries in column 2 against "Type No. 5" the following shall be substituted:—

"11 5 0 | 10 3 0 | 8 13 0 | 6 9 0" |

(ii) for the entries relating to "Type No. 11" the following shall be substituted:—

	Children's sizes 0 to 5	Children's sizes 6 to 9.
	Rs. a. p	Rs. a. p.
"Type No 11" Children's footwear other than descriptions mentioned above	4 0 0	5 0 0

SCHEDULE III (see Clauses 4 & 5.)

Footwear other than that specified in Schedules I and II.

PART B—*On sale by a Cottage Manufacturer to a Factory*

(The prices are also subject to the minimum laid down in clause 5.)

Column 1	Column 2			
Description of Foot wear.	Ceiling price according to size (at 72 per cent of the retail price indicated in Schedule III Part C.			
	Men's sizes 5 to 12	Youth's sizes 1 to 4	Boy's sizes 10 to 13	Children's sizes 6 to 9
1	2	3	4	5
	Rs a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a. p.
Type No. 1 —Men's style, laced footwear full boots, Jodhpur boots, buckled (Monk) shoes, buttoned shoes, elastic shoes and zip fastener shoes, all types, made wholly of leather Fitted with double lether soles leather insoles and heels, welted make or by the veldtschoen process	13 0 0	11 4 0	9 12 0	7 3 0
NOTE—The sole edge of a welted shoe consists of two thicknesses, i.e., the sole and the welt For the purposes of retail sales, is termed "double leather soles"				
Type No 2 —Men's style, laced footwear, full boots, Jodhpur boots, buckled (Monk) shoes, buttoned shoes, elastic shoes and zip fastener shoes, all types, made wholly or partly of leather Fitted with double leather soles and manufactured other than by the welted process or by the veldtschoen process	10 1 0	8 12 0	7 9 0	5 10 0
Type No 3 —As above but fitted with single leather soles and manufactured other than by the welted process or by veldtschoen process	9 2 0	8 0 0	6 15 0	5 3 0
Type No 4 —Men's style, full slippers salims Grecians and Court Shoes made wholly or partly of leather and fitted with double leather soles	9 2 0	8 0 0	6 15 0	5 3 0
Type No 5 —As above but fitted with single leather soles	8 2 0	7 5 0	6 6 0	4 12 0
Type No 6 —Chappals (other than Afghan or Frontier types) and half slippers, men's.	5 7 0	3 10 0	2 14 0	2 3 0
Type No 7 —Sandals, including chappals (Afghan or Frontier types)	6 8 0	5 12 0	4 14 0	3 4 0
	Ladies sizes 2 to 7		Maid's sizes 10 to 1.	
	Rs a p		Rs. a p	
Type No 8. —Women's type footwear, all types, other than sandals and chappals	13 0 0		10 13 0	
Type No 8A —Platform, Lifty or leadge heel sandals	12 4 0		10 1 0	
Type No 9 —Women's types sandals other than those mentioned above.	10 13 0		8 10 0	
Type No 10.—Chappals, all types, women's	4 5 0		3 13 0	
	Children's sizes 0 to 5		Children's sizes 6 to 9.	
	Rs a p.		Rs a. p	
Type No.11.—Children's footwear, other than description mentioned above.	2 14 0		3 10 0	
	Rs a p			
Type No. 12.—Indian pattern footwear other than the styles referred to above, wholly or partly made of leather, including footwear with embroidery work not exceeding four square inches in area.	3 10 0 for all sizes.			

NOTE.—In all calculations six pies and above have been rounded off to the nearest anna and fractions below six pies have been ignored.

H. AHMED, Dy Secy

Bombay, the 21st October 1944.

No 1/2(123)/44-CG (CS)—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of Sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (No. XXXV of 1943), and in partial modification of the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Industries and Civil Supplies, No F 22(26)-CS-(C)/43, dated the 6th May 1944, the Central Government is pleased to fix, as follows, the maximum prices which may be charged by a dealer or producer in respect of the two brands of cigarettes of Messrs Golden Tobacco Company specified below; Provided that where cigarettes are subject to any local or Provincial taxation, the dealers of that locality may charge a price in excess of the maximum which would be just sufficient to cover the tax.

Brand.	Retail selling price			
	Rs	a	p	
Diamond Indian Goldflake	0	1	3	per packet of ten
Ela	0	2	6	per packet of ten.

C C DESAI, Joint Secy

New Delhi, the 28th October 1944

No. 21 (7)-GC/44—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Hoarding and Profiteering Prevention Ordinance, 1943 (Ordinance No XXXV of 1943), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the I & C S Department notification No 21 (7)-GC/44, dated 23rd September 1944, namely -

In the said notification—

Under the heading "Cow Calf—Range upto 3 lbs."—

(1) against "Run (20/60/20)" in the column for "Coasts" for "Rs 2/11/2" "Rs 1/14/2" shall be substituted.

(2) The following entries shall be added, namely.—

Prime Trichy "Cow Calf" in MKM marks at annas three per lb above prime tannage

Prime Trichy "Cow Calf" in MBS and S S marks at annas two pies nine per lb. above prime tannage

H AHMED, Dy. Secy.

DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.

New Delhi, the 14th October 1944

No 45/MP—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Registration (Emergency Powers) Ordinance, 1944 (No XLVI of 1944), the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the Registration Rules, 1944, namely —

In the said Rules, -

1 Rule 1 shall be renumbered as sub-rule (1) of rule 1 and the following sub-rules shall be added thereto:—

"(2) They extend to the whole of British India, including British Baluchistan and any excluded or partially excluded area to which the Ordinance has been, or may hereafter be directed to apply;

(3) They apply also to European British subjects in any part of India"

2. For clause (a) of rule 3, the following shall be substituted.—

"(a) (i) in relation to a person for the time being resident in an Indian State other than Sikkim (including any "administered area" within that State), the Resident or Political Agent for that State;

(ii) in relation to a person for the time being resident in Sikkim, the Political Officer in Sikkim;

(iii) in relation to a person for the time being resident in the Gilgit Agency the Political Agent, Gilgit; and"

C. MacI. G OGILVIE, Secy.

DEPARTMENT OF FOOD.

New Delhi, the 19th October 1944.

No 281—Mr R. H Hutchings, C M G, C.I.E., I C S, Secretary to the Government of India, Food Department, is granted leave on average pay for 15 days with effect from the 15th October 1944.

No 282—Hon'ble Mr B. R. Sen, C.I.E., I.C.S, Director General, Food, is appointed to officiate as Secretary to the Government of India, Food Department, with effect from 15th October 1944, *vice* Mr R. H Hutchings

No 283—Mr. W H. J Christie, O.B.E, I C S, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Food, is appointed to officiate as Director General, Food, with effect from 15th October 1944, *vice* Hon'ble Mr. B R Sen

N T MONE, Dy Secy.

WAR TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT.

New Delhi, the 14th October 1944

No 20-LPC(2)/44—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendments shall be made in the Motor Vehicle Spare Parts Control Order, 1944, namely —

In the Third Schedule annexed to the said Order—

1 Against Madras, after the entry "30 The Auto and Hardware Stores—Madras", the following entries shall be inserted, namely —

"31 Madras Motor Trades, Ltd, Madras.
32 Auto Supplies Co, Salem
33 Motor Accessories Co, Calicut
34 K S Muthusamy Chetty and Co, Madura
35 S H Abdulla, Cycle and Motor Importing Co, Bezwada
36 Trichinopoly Automobiles Ltd, Trichinopoly
37 The Canara Sales Corporation Ltd., Mangalore
38 Pioneer (Madras) Ltd, Madras
39 Asbestos Cement Ltd., Madras
40 Associated Electrical Industries (India) Ltd, Madras and Coimbatore"

2 Against Bombay, after the entry "69. C. Vakil & Co, Bombay", the following entries shall be inserted, namely —

"70 City Engineering Works, Bombay
71 The Automobile Co Ltd, Bombay
72 Asbestos Cement Ltd, Mulund, Bombay.
73 Auto Traders (Bombay) Ltd, Bombay
74. New Bombay Motor Traders Corporation Ltd., Bombay
75. Associated Electrical Industries (India) Ltd., Bombay."

3. Against Bengal, the following entry shall be omitted, namely:—

"29. Begg Dunlop & Co Ltd—Calcutta."

4. Against United Provinces, after the entry "20 New Central Auto Stores (of Lahore).—Lahore", the following entries shall be inserted, namely:—

"21. The French Motor Car Co. Ltd., Calcutta.
22. Arthur Butler & Co. (Mos.) Ltd., Muzaffarpur."

5. Against Punjab, after the entry "26. Howrah Motor Co. Ltd. (of Delhi)—Delhi", the following entries shall be inserted, namely.—

"27. Lucas Service Depot, Lahore.
28. Raja Ram and Sons, Amritsar.
29. Anoop Chand Sachdeva, Lahore
30. Multan Automobiles, Multan City."

6 Against Bihar, after the entry "9 Walford Transport Ltd —Calcutta", the following entry shall be inserted, namely.—

"10 The French Motor Car Co Ltd, Calcutta."

7 Against Assam, after the entry "8 Walford Transport Ltd.—Calcutta", the following entries shall be inserted, namely:—

"9. The French Motor Car Co Ltd, Calcutta.
10 Everest Motor Co, Darjeeling"

8 Against North-West Frontier Province, after the entry "8 Khyber Automobiles —Peshawar", the following entries shall be inserted, namely.—

"9 Dadabhoy Motors, Rawalpindi.
10 Mangal Singh & Bros, Peshawar
11 Indo Trading Co, Peshawar Cantt
12. Afghan Automobiles, Peshawar."

9. Against Orissa, after the entry "9 Kishore Transport Marine—Puri", the following entry shall be inserted, namely —

"10 The French Motor Car Co Ltd, Calcutta"

10 Against Baluchistan,

(a) the following entry shall be omitted, namely.—

"3 Eastern Automobiles, Quetta"

(b) after the entry "5. Girdharilal & Co.—Karachi", the following entries shall be inserted, namely:—

"6. Metro Motors, Quetta.
7. The Standard Garage, Quetta.
8. S Salauddin Brothers, Quetta."

11. Against Delhi,—

(a) for the entry "2. Jullundur Motor Agency, Delhi and Lahore", the following entry shall be substituted, namely:—

"2 Jullundur Motor Agency, Delhi."

(b) after the entry "17. New Central Auto Stores (of Lahore)—Lahore", the following entries shall be inserted, namely:—

"18 Saughi Bros, New Delhi.
19 Lakshmi Motor Co, Delhi
20 Rane Ltd., Delhi."

New Delhi, the 17th October 1944

No LV-15(1)/44.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules, the Central Government is pleased to direct that the following further amendment shall be made in the Civil Motor Transport Vehicles Control Order, 1944, namely.—

In the Second Schedule annexed to the said Order, for entry 15 in the list of dealers for Ford Vehicles, the following entry shall be substituted, namely —

"15 Messrs S Salauddin Bros, 1, Bruce Road, Quetta"

D R RUTNAM, Jt. Secy.

[illegible]	[illegible]	2
277	Tona	2
287	Daudpur	4
298	Rangakathi	2
3167	Ballypara	4
3157	Gubgachia	2
3160	Pattasi	4
3000	Gazipur	2
3134	Ikarbunia	2
261	Brahmankathi	4
267	Jhatkathi	2
3155	Charakhali	2
3124	Perojpur	1
274	Ray's Kathi	4
3164	Kalaiya	4
3125	Nomajpur	4
3141	Sankarpasha	2
3156	Sautibaria	2
3165	Saudkhali	2
3163	Indurkhani	2
3003	Ashoa Amrajuri	2
297	Gopalpur	4
3166	Dhepahabunia	3
268	Kumarkhali	2
275	Mulgram	2
3002	Ashoa Gobindakathi	2
235	Shikdar Mallik Jabbar Amla	4
229	Babla Jabbar Amla	2
272	Lakhakathi	2
3162	Bhawanipur	3
3138	Tengrakhali	2
273	Oddonkathi	4
295	Goalata	3
270	Bara Khalishakhali	2
262	Alamkathi	2
238	Barajuj Khola	4
266	Shikarpur	2
269	Soto Khalishakhali	1
3154	Tongra	2
	Station Sub-Registrar Nalchitti	
2252	Naiari	2
2491	Laksmankathi	2
2287	Latimahar	2
2289	Sharangal	2
2278	Daharpara	12
2288	Kharamkathi	3
2275	Pramahar	2
2419	Dhapar	2
2277	Pratapmadra	14
[illegible]	[illegible]	2
[illegible]	Bejoy Pramahar	3
[illegible]	Soto Pramahar	3
[illegible]	[illegible]	12
[illegible]	[illegible]	2
[illegible]	Sharangal	2
2360	Mahattapur	3
3064	Guatona	4
2386	Rambadak	2
2235	Seemulpur	7
2217	Shupshona	127
2239	Bushona	66
2241	Navagram	202
2321	Runshi	4
2350	Tarpasha	5
2242	Kalyadaya	73
2240	Gorasta	2
2250	Uttar Manpasha	306
	Station Sub-Registrar Sarupkathi	
2997	Rakhaltulla	2
2992	Beshkathi	3
2995	Rongakathi	3
3009	Jalabari	6
317	Kunihari	65
3024	Dumuria	66
3005	Shobangal	2
230	Bashibablu	3
312	Baldia	2
2982	Gonman	2
305	Pashchim Savankathi	2
2227	Dakhin Andakul	2
2228	Uttar Andakul	2
3050	Purva Joushar	3
3028	Brahmankathi	4
3010	Kamarkathi	2
3021	Buribari	10
319	Maruhar	2
3027	Borangati	4
315	Juluhar	14
332	Kundihar	137
3001	Sundar	4
2984	Muninag	4
2977	Nunundubar	5
358	Uttar Kuli	141
321	Baisari	18
318	Bhanga Deula	2
323	Duttapara	4
	Station Sub-Registrar Bhundaria	
3174	Telikhali	3
3171	Jumbaripugla	3
3172	Junia	2
3173	Golbunia	2
3169	Hetalia	3
3181	Charkhali	2
3189	Purva Pasaribunia	2
3192	Ikari	2
3190	Paschim Pasaribunia	2

M. AHMAD, Sub-Judge.

Barisal, the 23rd October 1944.

(379—1)

IN THE COURT OF THE SUB-JUDGE AT RAJSHAHI.

MORTGAGE EXECUTION CASE No 19 OF 1944

Haricharan Sarkar, plaintiff, decree-holder,

versus

Bibi Najaratonnessa Unmaton Tahera Chowdhurani and others, defendants, judgment-debtors

IN the above execution case the following properties of the judgment-debtors will be sold in auction in the sale room of this Court on the 15th day of December 1944 at 12 o'clock in the forenoon —

1 Pargana Tegachi, tauzi No 2797 of Rajshahi Collectorate in possession of judgment-debtors Annual revenue is Rs 126-13 only

2 Pargana Dhamin, tauzi No 2875 of Rajshahi Collectorate of which 9 annas 14 gandas 1 kara 2 krantis share in possession of judgment-debtors Annual rent is Rs 130-7 only

3 Pargana Tegache, Dehi Dhanakara, tauzi No 290 of Rajshahi Collectorate of which 10 gandas 2 karas share in possession of judgment-debtors Annual revenue is Rs. 2,814 12 only

S G MOOKERJEE, Sub-Judge

Rajshahi, the 6th November 1944

(395—1)

IN THE 1ST COURT OF THE SUB-JUDGE, BARISAL.

R EX CASE No 4 OF 1944

Kumer Purnendu Nath Tagore and others, decree-holders,

versus

Jamidennessa Khatun and others, judgment-debtors

JUDGMENT-DEBTORS' darpattani taluk under decree-holders' pattani taluk recorded in Kismat Charkalekha and another under police-station Muladi bearing Kebot Nos 5 and 18 at an annual rental of Rs 2,501 Date of sale on 30th November 1944 for claim of Rs 5,478-5 annas only

M AHMAD, Sub-Judge

Barisal, the 2nd November 1944

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, BENGAL.

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS are invited to fill a post of Assistant Professor of Mechanical Engineering, Bengal Engineering College, in the Bengal Educational Service The vacancy is temporary at present with prospect of confirmation after two years Confirmation in the post will depend on passing the Departmental Examination in Bengali by the Higher Standard if the mother tongue of the selected candidate is other than Bengali

(1) **Method of recruitment.**—The appointment will be made by selection from among candidates possessing the qualifications specified below

Persons holding substantive appointments or appointments on probation against substantive vacancies in the Education Department, Government of Bengal, are not eligible to apply

(2) **Pay.**—The scale of pay is Rs 150—25—200—50/2—300—40/2—380 (efficiency bar) 40/2—500—50/2—550 (efficiency bar) 50/2 700 The initial pay will be according to age as follows —

Age	Pay Rs
25	150
26	175
27	200
28	200
29	250
30	250
31 and over	300

(3) **Qualifications.**—Every candidate must possess the following qualifications —

(i) he must be a British subject or be the subject of a State in India in respect of whom a declaration has been made under section 262(2) of the Government of India Act, 1935 preferably having permanent residence in Bengal

(ii) he must not be over 35 years of age on the 1st December 1944

(iii) he must possess a good Engineering Degree or its equivalent and sufficient experience in workshops, together with the Associate Membership of a recognised Institution of Engineers Preference will be given to a candidate having teaching experience

(4) **Date of submission of applications.**—Applications are to be made on the prescribed form copies of which may be obtained from the Secretary, Public Service Commission, Bengal, Darjeeling personally or **on sending an addressed envelope with a nine pies stamp.** They must not be addressed to Secretary by name and should reach him not later than the 9th December 1944

(5) **Particulars and certificates required.**—Each candidate must furnish evidence of his age (copy of Matriculation certificate duly attested by a Magistrate or other responsible person), qualifications and previous experience, together with two certificates written not more than one year prior to the date of his application from two responsible persons not related to him or connected by marriage, testifying to his private character

(6) **Fee.**—Every candidate must enclose with his application a fee of Rs 5 in the form of a receipted chalan from a Government treasury or the Reserve Bank of India, under head "XXXVI—Miscellaneous" In no circumstances will this fee be refunded Money orders, cheques, etc , in lieu of treasury chalans are not accepted.

(7) **Address.**—Every candidate should give his present address and should communicate at once any subsequent change of address

(8) **Canvassing.**—Any attempt on the part of a candidate to enlist support for his application through persons of influence or officials of Government will disqualify him for appointment Spontaneous recommendations from persons interested in the candidates or otherwise known to them will be disregarded

(9) **General.**—The Commission will only acknowledge the receipt of an application or reply to an enquiry about an application if a stamped envelope accompanies the enquiry or request for acknowledgment. The Commission are unable to give any indication of what has been their recommendation to Government in respect of an application received by them

Applications from candidates who are in permanent or temporary employment under any Government in India will be rejected unless they are submitted through the appointing authority of their post or service

P B RUDRA, Secretary,
Public Service Commission, Bengal.

Darjeeling, the 6th November 1944

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, BENGAL.

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS are invited from male Muslim candidates to fill a post of Inspector in the Bengal Boilers Service The vacancy though temporary for the present is likely to be permanent

(1) **Method of recruitment.**—The appointment will be made by selection from among candidates possessing the qualifications specified below

Persons holding substantive appointments or appointments on probation against substantive vacancies in the Department of Commerce, Labour and Industries, Government of Bengal, are not eligible to apply for the post

(2) **Pay.**—The scale of pay is Rs 225—25/2—275—50/2—375—25/2—450—50/2—650 (efficiency bar after 10th stage) The initial pay of the selected candidate will be in the scale as follows according to his age on the date of assuming duties —

Age	Stage of time scale.
25 (or under)	1
26	2
27	3
28	4
29	5
30 (or over)	6

So long as he will remain on a temporary basis, he will get the minimum of the time-scale

(3) **Qualifications.**—Every candidate must possess the following qualifications —

(i) he must be a British subject or the subject of a State in India in respect of whom a declaration has been made under section 262(2) of the Government of India Act, 1935, preference will be given to candidates who are natives of or permanently domiciled in Bengal,

(ii) he must not be less than 25 or more than 30 years of age on the 1st of December 1944,

(iii) he must have a good general education,

(iv) he must have served apprenticeship of at least four years as mechanical engineer or engine-fitter in an engineering workshop where steam-engines and boilers are built or repaired, or a full course in an engineering college or technical institution, with the diploma of that college or institution in mechanical engineering,

(v) he must have had after completion of the apprenticeship or technical course, three years' further experience as practical engineer on the design, construction, repair and maintenance or working of steam-engines and boilers,

(vi) he must have knowledge of the various types of boilers used on land and of the purposes and functions of their component parts,

(vii) he must have ability to determine accurately the working pressure of a boiler in accordance with the Indian Boiler Regulations;

(viii) he must have a knowledge of the construction and materials used in the manufacture of boilers;

(ix) he must have a fair knowledge of the strength of materials used in the manufacture of boilers and of the method of carrying out mechanical tests;

(x) he must have a knowledge of boiler defects, their causes, and remedies for corrosive and scale forming feed water,

(xi) he must have ability to take dimensions of boilers and to prepare neat hand sketches and drawings to scale,

(xii) he must have ability to prepare calculations for determining the strength of new and old boilers from his own measurements, and the maker's dimensions,

(4) **Date of submission of applications.**—Applications are to be made in writing in the prescribed form, copies of which may be obtained from the Secretary, Public Service Commission, Bengal, Secretariat Building, Darjeeling, personally or **on sending an addressed envelope with a nine pies stamp.** They must not be addressed to the Secretary by name and should reach the Secretary not later than the 27th December 1944

(5) **Particulars and certificates required.**—Each candidate must furnish evidence of his age (copy of Matriculation certificate duly attested by a Magistrate or other responsible person), qualifications and previous experience together with two certificates written not more than one year prior to the date of his application, from two responsible persons not related to him or connected by marriage, testifying to his private character

(6) **Fee.**—Every candidate must enclose with his application a fee of Rs. 5 in the form of a receipted chalan from a Government treasury or the Reserve Bank of India, under the head XXXVI—Miscellaneous In no circumstances will this fee be refunded Money orders, cheques, etc , in lieu of treasury chalans are not accepted

(7) **Address.**—Every candidate should give his present address and should communicate at once any subsequent change of address

(8) **Canvassing.**—Any attempt on the part of a candidate to enlist support for his application through persons of influence or officials of Government will disqualify him for appointment Spontaneous recommendations from persons interested in the candidates or otherwise known to them will be disregarded

(9) **General.**—The Commission will only acknowledge the receipt of an application or reply to an enquiry about an application if a stamped envelope accompanies the enquiry or request for acknowledgment The Commission are unable to give any indication of what has been their recommendation to Government in respect of an application received by them

Applications from candidates who are in permanent or temporary employment under any Government in India will be rejected unless they are submitted through the appointing authority of their post or service

P B RUDRA, Secretary,
Public Service Commission, Bengal

Darjeeling, the 6th November 1944

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, BENGAL.

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS are invited from male Muslim candidates to fill a permanent vacancy in the post of Assistant Electric Inspector, Bengal, on a pay of Rs 130—10/2—140—20/2—220 with a conveyance allowance of Rs 16 per month The incumbent of the post will also draw the usual dearness allowance

(1) **Method of recruitment** —The appointment will be made by selection from among candidates possessing the qualifications specified below

Persons holding substantive appointments or appointments on probation against substantive vacancies in the Commerce Department, Government of Bengal, are not eligible to apply

(2) **Qualifications.**—Every candidate must possess the following qualifications —

(i) he must be a British subject or the subject of a State in India in respect of whom a declaration has been made under section 262(2) of the Government of India Act, 1935,

(ii) he must have had a thorough technical education and possess electrical qualifications from a recognised Engineering College,

(iii) in addition to the college course he must have had two years' practical experience in Electrical Engineering,

(iv) he must be able to carry out electrical tests and to draft reports

(3) **Date of submission of applications.**—Applications are to be made on the prescribed form, copies of which may be obtained from the Secretary, Public Service Commission, Bengal, Darjeeling personally or **on sending an addressed envelope with a nine pies stamp.** (Application forms will not be supplied on receipt of mere stamps) They must not be addressed to the Secretary by name and should reach him not later than the 28th November 1944

(4) **Particulars and certificates required.**—Candidates must furnish evidence of their age (copy of Matriculation certificate duly attested by a Magistrate or other responsible person) qualifications and previous experience, together with two certificates written not more than one year prior to the date of their applications, from two responsible persons not related to them nor connected with them by marriage, testifying to their private character.

(5) **Fee.**—Candidates must enclose with their applications a fee of Rs 5 in the form of a receipted chalan from a Government Treasury or the Reserve Bank of India, under the head XXXVI—Miscellaneous Money orders, cheques, etc., in lieu of treasury chalans are not accepted. In no circumstances will this fee be refunded

(6) **Address.**—Candidates should give their present address and should communicate at once any subsequent change of address.

(7) **Canvassing.**—Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through persons of influence or officials of Government will disqualify them for appointment Spontaneous recommendations from persons interested in the candidates or otherwise known to them will be disregarded.

(8) **General.**—The Commission will only acknowledge the receipt of an application or reply to an enquiry about an application if a stamped envelope accompanies the enquiry or request for acknowledgment The Commission are unable to give any indication of what has been their recommendation to Government in respect of an application received by them

Applications from candidates who are in permanent or temporary employment under any Government in India will be rejected unless they are submitted through the appointing authority of their post or service.

P B RUDRA, Secretary,
Public Service Commission, Bengal.

Darjeeling, the 2nd November 1944

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, BENGAL.

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS are invited to fill the following temporary posts of Sub Editors in the Publicity Branch, Government of Bengal The posts will continue up to 28th February 1945 for the present and are reserved as follows —

(a) Sub-Editors on Rs 200 fixed—
One Muslim
One non Muslim

(b) Sub-Editor on Rs 115 fixed—
One Scheduled Caste

(1) **Method of recruitment.**—The appointment will be made by selection (direct recruitment) from among male candidates possessing the qualifications specified below

(2) **Qualifications.**—The following are the indispensable qualifications for a candidate —

(i) he must be British subject or the subject of a State in India which has received declaration under section 262(2) of the Government of India Act, 1935,

(ii) he must not be below 30 and not above 40 years of age

(iii) he must possess a good knowledge of Bengali and must preferably be a native of, or domiciled in, Bengal,

(iv) he must possess sufficient knowledge of English to be able to reproduce English articles in Bengali,

(v) he must have knowledge of making up a newspaper and must possess experience of conducting a weekly paper

(3) **Date of submission of applications.**—Applications are to be made on the prescribed form, copies of which may be obtained from the Secretary, Public Service Commission Bengal, Darjeeling, personally or **on sending an addressed envelope with a nine pies stamp.** (Application forms will not be supplied on receipt of mere stamps) They must not be addressed to the Secretary by name and should reach him not later than the 4th December 1944

(4) **Particulars and certificates required.**—Candidates must furnish evidence of their age (copy of Matriculation certificate duly attested by a Magistrate or other responsible person) qualifications and previous experience, together with two certificates, written not more than one year prior to the date of their applications, from two responsible persons not related to them nor connected with them by marriage, testifying to their private character

(5) **Fee** —Candidates must enclose with their applications a fee of Rs 5 in the form of a receipted chalan from a Government Treasury or the Reserve Bank of India, under the head XXXVI Miscellaneous Money orders, cheques etc , in lieu of treasury chalans are not accepted In no circumstances will this fee be refunded

(6) **Address** —Candidates should give their present address and should communicate at once any subsequent change of address

(7) **Canvassing.**—Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through persons of influence or officials of Government will disqualify them for appointment Spontaneous recommendations from persons interested in the candidates or otherwise known to them will be disregarded

(8) **General.**—The commission will only acknowledge the receipt of an application or reply to an enquiry about an application if a stamped envelope accompanies the enquiry or request for acknowledgment The Commission are unable to give any indication of what has been their recommendation to Government in respect of an application received by them

Applications from candidates who are in permanent or temporary employment under any Government in India will be rejected unless they are submitted through the appointing authority of their post or service.

P. B RUDRA, Secretary,
Public Service Commission, Bengal

Darjeeling, the 2nd November 1944.

NOTIFICATION

UNDER the authority of the Government of Bengal, an examination called the "Bengal Local Bodies' Accountants' Examination" will be held at the Bengal Engineering College, Botanic Garden post office, Howrah, on Monday, the 8th January 1945, and the following two days

This examination will be held without any age restriction for the benefit of candidates for service under the District Boards and Local Boards and Municipalities of the Province of Bengal The last date for receiving applications in the prescribed form is 15th December 1944

For the prospectus, application should be made to the Principal, Bengal Engineering College, post office Botanic Garden, Howrah

N N SEN, Principal,
Bengal Engineering College

Bengal Engineering College,
The 4th September 1944

NOTES.

PORTIONS of the following notes of the Calcutta office of issue are stated to have been destroyed and applications for payment of their value have been received from the persons whose names are shown against the numbers Any other person/party who consider(s) himself/themselves as having a right to them is/are warned to communicate at once with the undersigned —

Register No	Note No	Value Rs	Name and address of the applicant
(1) W D 27/44-45	A/0,933711 A/7,819206 A/7,912773 A/8,212908	100 each	Messrs Rampat Dass Rameswar & Co , post office Barbarua, district Dibrugarh, Assam
(2) W. D 28/44 45	T/10,991935 T/33,208881 T/33,208883 T/38,219312 T/38,219314 T/38,219315	100 each	Mr Kesardeo, C/o Nagarmal Paliram, 201, Harrison Road, Calcutta

S A RAHIM, Currency Officer

Reserve Bank of India, Issue Department, Calcutta, the 8th November 1944

NOTES.

PORTIONS of the following notes of the Calcutta office of issue are stated to have been destroyed and an application for payment of their value has been received from the person whose name is shown against the numbers Any other person/party who consider(s) himself/themselves as having a right to them is/are warned to communicate at once with the undersigned —

Register No	Notes No	Value Rs	Name and address of the applicant
W D 26/44 45	T/38,130967	100	Must Ram Rati, widow of late Ram Sarup, C/o Mr Bhagwan Dass, head postman, post office New Delhi
	A/15,774204	100	

S A RAHIM, Currency Officer

Reserve Bank of India, Issue Department, Calcutta, the 31st October 1944

NOTE.

PORTIONS of the following note of the Calcutta office of issue are stated to have been destroyed and an application for payment of its value has been received from the person whose name is shown against the number Any other person/party who consider(s) himself/themselves as having a right to it is/are warned to communicate at once with the undersigned —

Register No	Note No	Value Rs.	Name and address of the applicant.
W D 24/43-44	A/19,730828	100	Mr Mohd Usman, C/o Messrs Abdul Rahim Md Usman, Sadar Bazar, Delhi

S. A RAHIM, Currency Officer

Reserve Bank of India, Issue Department, Calcutta, the 31st October 1944

NOTICE.

I, MADAN MOHAN DANDAPAT, son of Ashutosh Dandapat, of 5A, Jainuddi Mistry Lane, Alipore, Calcutta, intend to change this present name of mine and propose to make it Madan Mohan Das

Present name—MADAN MOHAN DANDAPAT

Present address—Anatomy Department, Campbell Medical School

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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership business hitherto carried on at No 29, Clive Street, Calcutta, known as "The Bengal Mill Stores Supply Co ," stands dissolved with effect from 19th October 1944, Mr Sahebdin Ram Shaw and Mr Sambhunath Shaw having retired therefrom and sold their interest to me Mr Chunilal Fulchand Doshi who will now carry on the business as sole proprietor

CHUNILAL FULCHAND DOSHI

Dated the 1st November
1944

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NOTICE.

UNDER instructions from and on behalf of my client Mr C Narayanaswami of No 15K, Niamatulla Lane, Calcutta, I beg to inform the public that the firms styled the "Orient Minerals and Ores" and "Swastika Trading Company" which had their place of business at No 95, Chittaranjan Avenue, Calcutta, and whereof my said client was a partner were dissolved by mutual consent on 3rd November 1944 and a notice in Form VI, sub-section (1) of section 63 of the Indian Partnership Act, 1932, was given to the Registrar of Firms, Bengal, in due course

J BHATTACHARJEE, M A , B L ,
Pleader

Dated Small Cause Court,
Calcutta,
The 6th November 1944

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STOLEN

THE following Government of India Five-year Interest-free Prize Bonds, 1919, for the face value of Rs 120 (Rupees one hundred and twenty only) having been stolen, notice is hereby given that an application is about to be made to the Manager, Reserve Bank of India, Public Debt Office (Prize Bonds Sections), Bombay, for the issue of duplicates in favour of the undersigned —

	Value Rs
AA046218/219 for Rs 10 each	20
A026106 for Rs 100	100
Total	120

Name of the person notifying—Nalin Bihari Mukerji

Address—8/1C, Creek Lane, Calcutta

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Liberality of Babu Bhabataran Singh of post office and village Keshabpur, police-station Arambagh, district Hooghly.

No 631C /Misc , dated Calcutta, the 31st October 1944

From—K C Basak, Esq ; I C S , Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Education (Miscellaneous) Department,

To—The Commissioner of Burdwan Division

Reference —His letter No 1327J G , dated the 7th July 1944

The undersigned is directed to request that he will be so good as to convey the thanks of Government to Babu Bhabataran Singh of post office and village Keshabpur, police-station Arambagh district Hooghly, for his liberality and public spirit in paying a sum of Rs 30,000 (Rupees thirty thousand) only for the construction of a building for the Keshabpur Mahendra Institution and its maintenance

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Statement of weekly gauge readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 11th November 1944.

Date	Hour	Height of surface above P W D datum	Height of surface above P W D datum on the same date last year	Remarks
1944.				
5th November	7 a m.	44·10	43·60	Value of B M on Rajshahi College step= 64·73 P W D Value of zero=42·40 P. W. D up to 10th November 1944 and 33·50 P W D afterwards
6th ,,	,,	43·90	43·35	
7th ,,	,,	43·60	43·10	
8th ,,		43·40	42·90	
9th		43·20	42·65	
10th ,,		43·00	42·50	
11th ,,	,,	42·90	42·35	

Highest recorded level on 20-8-1938- 64·30

Lowest recorded level on 12-5-1940- 31·30.

A C MAJUMDAR, *Subdivisional Officer,*
Irrigation Department, Rajshahi Subdivision.

Rampur-Boalia, the 11th November 1944

DEPARTMENT OF CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES, BENGAL.

Finance Statements of Provincial and Central Co-operative Banks in the Presidency of Bengal for the half year ending 31st December 1943.

NOTIFICATION

No. 8101.—6th November 1944.—The accompanying Finance Statements of Provincial and Central Co-operative Banks in the Presidency of Bengal for the half year ending 31st December 1943 are published for general information

C. A. ALI,
Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bengal.

GENERAL

Half-yearly Finance

PART

Name of Bank	Outside the movement				Within	Liabilities and
					Fixed deposits or loans received from—	
	Deposits, fixed, current or Savings Bank by non members or by members in an individual capacity	Debentures	Overdrafts from outside banks, e g, Presidency or Joint Stock.	Other items	Provincial Bank	Central Banks or Societies
1	2	3	4	5	6(a)	6(b)
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Rs.
I —PROVINCIAL BANK						
Bengal Provincial Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,05,71,735		10,33,878	98,148	.	24,30,714
II —CENTRAL BANKS						
Calcutta—						
Co-operative Milk Societies Union, Ltd	8,365				20,000	14,218
District 24-Parganas—						
Taki Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	3,05 325		30,000	1,041	99,053	31,181
Nimta Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	19,840			101		
Diamond Harbour Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	81 860				24,317	
Barasat Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1,85 547				40,600	1,160
Gosava Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1,81,653					
District Khulna—						
Khulna Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	3,19 265				13,655	8,544
Bagerhat Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2,02 780			10,112		2,728
Baruli Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,60 397				21,142	3,981
Satkhira Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	95			695	56,499	
District Jessore—						
Jessore Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	3 67,588			8,636	1,022	5,703
Magura Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	5 34 480					
Narail Central Co operative Bank Ltd	8,15 496			9,772	41,606	5,722
Jhenidah Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	43,933				20,268	3,223
District Nadia—						
Nadia Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	6,11,729			11,996		24,155
Meherpur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1,87,078					
Chuadanga Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,70 471			2,345	33,124	5,929
Kushtia Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1,61 770	2,772	1,668		2,18,252	40,059
Ranaghat Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	93,390			3,441	50,000	3,806
District Murshidabad—						
Kandi Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	[illegible]7,281			8,951	29,024	19,244
Jangipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	[illegible] 144				1,993	
Lalbagh Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	[illegible],232				15,300	18,478
Berhampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	6,[illegible]2,758			15,540		11,273
District Hooghly—						
Hooghly Central Co operative Bank Ltd	3,08 931			729	2,736	76,780
Arambagh Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	38,085				1,633	23,500
District Howrah—						
Uluberia Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	45,781					100
District Bankura—						
Bankura Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	5,12,519			24,727		547
Bishnupur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	19 148					6,000
Bankura District Co-operative Industrial Union, Ltd	38,113			4,205		
District Burdwan—						
Burdwan Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	32 73 381			32,781		
Kalna Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,18 828			9,446	12,000	7,396
Katwa Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 36,695				3,800	75,000
Asansol Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	99,143			6,621		208
District Birbhum—						
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	1,99,434			5 007	13,778	1,544
Visva Bharati Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1,48,575			15,959	15,507	40,080
Rampurhat Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2 38,741			9,734	26,540	11,942
Nalhati Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,11,452			31,036	28,000	1,08,000
District Midnapore—						
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	7,89 586			21,271		10,680
Tamluk Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	4,40,406			10,670		25,590
Khelar Balarampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	72,401			1,818		258
Bellaberah Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,04 974					
Ghatal Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	54,723					5,121
Mugberia Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	91,548			8,500		22,600
Balageria Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	81,411			2,052		13,665
District Mymensingh—						
Mymensingh Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	15,27,767	..		6,296	4,23,372	29,594
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	2,31,560	..	21,280	7,254	2,91,036	34,728
Pingna Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	53,959	..	..	14,086	1,96,100	27,332
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	2,56,096	..	..	5,056	3,82,950	2,948
Madarganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	3,715	..	..	9,160	1,25,030	
Dhanbari Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	4,901	..	41,366	4,539	1,64,030	31,290
Netrokona Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	67,412	..		3,573	3,14,576	3,0[illegible]
Gaffargaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	11,218	..	..	31,256	1,48,411	
Bhairab Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	8,011	..	..		17,361	86
Kishorganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	1,61,056	..	..	10,042	1,09,874	4,006
Sarishabari Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	17,819	..	..	1,063	1,12,336	3,275

BANKS.

Statement.

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quasi-liabilities.							Assets and quasi-assets	
the movement							Outside the movement	
Drawn portion of cash credit with Provincial Bank.	Savings Bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks	Reserve Fund of Bank itself	Paid-up share capital	Other items	Undrawn liabilities e g cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Banks to Central Banks or to Societies and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies		Cash in hand and in outside Banks	Government paper
					To cover deposits	For loans transaction		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
..	35,14,723	9,06,034	20,13,450	50,30,683		36,000	1,11,597	77,82,066
12,000	11,138	88,419	13,822	70,803			4,036	2,296
	2,083	59,724	77,760	90,757			4,916	
		4,080	2,876	11,855			861	
		11,991	21,522	22,658			4,799	
	2,090	25,108	28,650	5,601			6,136	
	27,723	6,089	6,625	22,602			53	
27,800	3,594	1,69,659	66 745	18,873			888	
	12,397	22,000	45,350	50,141			622	
8,000	4,115	28,600	40,000	90,428			936	
		472	14,636	4,354			202	
		1,03,185	70,900	91,414			13,353	684
2,173		70,100	66,400	68,343			82	
	18	45,167	51,710	1,03,470			1,512	
		6,515	19,133	9,879			2,040	
		47,106	53,004	29,080			5,821	5,000
	3,139	26,693	37,862	56 175			18,615	800
2,902		23 682	21,485	2,455			6,903	
	351	60,187	60,920	1,20 650			3,576	
	848	21 747	28,810	47,518			203	
		14,498	23,610	31,140			129	
	765	24,931	27,415	49,350			526	
		25,278	32,131	2,718			1,110	
	3,444	46 000	56,320	96,112			5,408	25,000
1,500	4,045	35,983	66,515	2,67,709			4,828	1,066
	55	5,830	11,570	10,101			815	
		3,198	8,630	882			273	
	36,287	36,720	62,985	27,900			21,142	
		2,246	7,490	3,379			934	
		1 454	10,508	12,949			909	
		1,61,563	1,10,430	4,24,895			38,202	1,69,115
	7,731	29,080	42,544	93,362			16,431	
		8,200	20,490	496			6,500	
	17,981	4,577	17,316	6,941			36,315	
..	9,255	27,102	50,395	71,038			7,082	
..		14,900	44,130	85,898			4,935	
8,100	15,263	40,000	35,514	59,475	886		1,218	
..	14,399	32,540	50,110	65,166			7,809	
..	1,29,963	98,600	1,10,840	92,978			1,22,814	7,000
		45,501	49,420	61,811			27,316	14,926
..	4,206	24,100	33,240	36,751			3,579	
..	3,076	16,800	35,770	15,677			15,009	2,000
..	65	7 353	24,925	19,232			1,713	
..		17,200	33,780	96,279			303	
	1,882	6,997	19,900	9,567			518	
..	3,466	10,64,599	3,01,331	5,82,802			8,907	
..	9,288	1,11,317	90,180	2,88,332			15,760	16,792
..	1,940	39,382		88,497			780	1,498
..	1,802	36,096	1,14,966	98,615			2,940	
..	725	13,832	39,909	84,446			4,732	10,220
..	8,464	12,371	36,420	88,486			5,489	..
..	..	25,127	49,895	71,474			1,708	
..	39	12,129	30,634	18,671		..	6,470	
..	478	1,627	7,317	....		..	749	..
..	1,321	57,164	65,329	63,684		..	968	
..	1,489	3,025	18,521	88,727	..	..	713	..

CENTRAL

Half-yearly Finance

PART

Name of Bank.	Assets and					
	Outside the movement				Within	
	Post Office Savings Bank deposits	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns	Undrawn balance of assured cash credit		Loans to Agricultural Societies	Loans to non Agricultural Societies.
			With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank	With Provincial Bank		
1	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
I.—PROVINCIAL BANK						
Bengal Provincial Co-operative Bank, Ltd		79 751*	24 38,622		23,80 927†	3,51,127
II.—CENTRAL BANKS						
Calcutta—						
Co operative Milk Societies Union, Ltd		8,748				1,093
District 24 Parganas—						
Taki Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	826				1 11,390	11 909
Nimta Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	98				14 364	
Diamond Harbour Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2 133	500			99,854	3,198
Barasat Central Co operative Bank Ltd	60			3 300	2,03,976‡	249§
Gosava Central Co-operative Bank Ltd				34 294	2,16,766	
District Khulna—						
Khulna Central Co operative Bank Ltd	10,064	11,311			4 02 400	42,772
Bagerhat Central Co operative Bank Ltd	150				2 20 765	1 766
Barull Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	900	500			1,94 844	18 644
Satkhira Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	522				87 099	489
District Jessore—						
Jessore Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	20 800				3 16,792	1 241
Magura Central Co operative Bank Ltd	10			2,897	4,14 371	204
Narail Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	66	2 013			3 10 360	
Jhenidah Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2 724				79,412	
District Nadia						
Nadia Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	5 6[illegible]	500			3,84 431	1 536
Meherpur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	19 779				1 47 030	8 973
Chuadanga Central Co operative Bank Ltd	778	2,367			1 41 887	2 663
Kushtia Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	19 2[illegible]0				1 50 400	
Ranaghat Central Co operative Bank Ltd	2 820	1 036			1 [illegible] 893	
District Murshidabad						
Kandi Central Co operative Bank Ltd	1 [illegible]01				1,50 538	
Jangipur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	9 000				1 58,653	6 110
Lalbagh Central Co operative Bank Ltd	3,433				1 90 507	3,716
Berhampur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	30,001	4 500			2 77 383	3 084
District Hooghly—						
Hooghly Central Co operative Bank Ltd	10 001				3 11 502	12 390
Arambagh Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	3 089	2 073			64 502	
District Howrah—						
Uluberia Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1 712				42 418	2,040
District Bankura—						
Bankura Central Co operative Bank Ltd	900	4 500			2 15,337	1,000
Bishnupur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	41				26 971	1,101
Bankura District Co operative Industrial Union, Ltd	2 112	14,400			2 377	13,195
District Burdwan—						
Burdwan Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	9 427	6 92 800	3 90,000		4,23,964	1,016
Kalna Central Co operative Bank Ltd	3 112	7,198			2,33,297	
Katwa Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	22 2[illegible]3	2 [illegible]00			1 21 422	1,103
Asansol Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	260	[illegible]00			75 608	
District Birbhum—						
Birbhum Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	581	500			1 87 143	2 195
Visva Bharati Central Co operative Bank Ltd	10,336	12,954			1,74 844	3,336
Rampurhat Central Co operative Bank Ltd	79			1 900	1 45 654	5,097
Nalhati Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	6,108				2,00 886	2,811
District Midnapore—						
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	11 17[illegible]	520			4,08,[illegible]85	3,290
Tamluk Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	9,020	591			2 44 869	5,504
Khejur Balarampur Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	112	1,604			1,11,873	
Belaberah Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	700				1 06,556	
Ghatal Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	4 404				98,894	
Mugberia Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	301	6,130			1,25,023	
Balagoria Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	5,047				1,00 402	
District Mymensingh—						
Mymensingh Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	25,464	24,101			20,56,659	6,375
Jamalpur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	704				6,11,579	6,000
Pingna Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	5,499	6,986			2,22,938	
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.	30				10,31,356	2,405
Madarganj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2,562	1 680	8,820		1,51,658	478
Dhanbari Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	651				2,28,247	1,854
Netrokona Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	4,886				2,85,408	22,570
Gaffargaon Central Co operative Bank Ltd	2,954				1,71,027	
Bhairab Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	130				23,953	
Kishorganj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd.	519	7,050			2,69,367	3,126
Sarishabari Central Co operative Bank, Ltd.	2,887	1,500			1,10,122	

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* Includes loans to individuals against fixed deposits and advances to Employees for House Building.

† Includes advances to Land Mortgage Banks.

‡ Including dues of Liquidated Societies.

§ From Liquidated Society.

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e movement						Rates of interest on which money is usually		
Loans of deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Bank	Loans and deposits due to Provincial Bank by Central Banks	Uncalled share capital	Guaranteed share capital	Other investments inside the movement	Net profit of past year	Borrowed	Lent	Last dividend declared
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent
	1,16,76,895	20 13 450		13 25[illegible]	2,12,500	1 to 4½	4½ to 9½	
11,190				6[illegible] 400	11 677	4	9½	
				79 176	15,81[illegible]	2 to 7½	7½ 9½	
12,467		2 875		1 7 7	[illegible]	2 to 4	9½	
2 129		28 770		10 000	6 200	1 to 7½	8½ to 9½	
		51 060		8 488	14 81[illegible]	3 to 5½	8½ 10½	
	6 625			1 318	4 031	1 to 4	6½ to 7½	
296		10 980		67,514	11 566	1½ to 6	8 to 10	
460		57 200		13 816	6 008	1 [illegible] 4 and 6	[illegible] 10½	
21 415				13 829	7 085	1½ to 6	9½	
		22 020	1 00 000	10 980	1,400	3½ to 6½	10½	
21,982		70 900		18 466	15,08[illegible]	[illegible] 1½, 5½ and 6	10, 9½ and 8½	4
7 7[illegible]		1 485	1 00 000	15 005	7 169	8 [illegible] ½	10 12½	
1 142		55 390		24 110	9 90[illegible]	[illegible] ½ 3½ 4 4½ 4½ and ½	9½ 10 10½ and 12	
		[illegible] 52 956		18 176	88	3 to 6½	10½ to 12½	
61 450		81 240		4 750	10 21[illegible]	1½ to 6½	4 to 9½	6¼ in 1929 30
78,311		4 152		6 005	4 917	2 to 4½	8 and 9	3½ to all
		24 400		1 158			9½	
		60 050		8	1 848	[illegible] to 5½	8 and 9½	
10 047		28,810		7 507		[illegible] to 6½	8 and 9	
60		28 250		11 705	2 670	[illegible] to 6½	8 and 9½	4½
2 237		46 135		2 865	1 550	2 and ½	8 and 9½	
	83	34 531		14 300	1 671	[illegible]	8½ and 9½	4 and 4½
2 49 156		7 280		5 590	7 00[illegible]	4	9½	
65,048		60 885		11 170	23 108	1½	7 to 10	
		11 640		6 227	71			
476		8 630	80 000		1[illegible]	2 to 4½	9 and 10½	
2 96 399		87 465		4,080	6 80[illegible]	½ to 3½	8 and 9½	
501		15 410	50 000	1 030	41	4½ and 5½	8 to 10½	
		11 387		29 142	10[illegible]	½	6½	
21 95,102		3 295		1,77 953	27 900	1 to 6½	2 to 4	4
384	9,700			58 624	9[illegible]	1 to 6½	8½ to 10½	
		20,490	1,00 000	4 905		7½	8 to 4½	
1 735		3 975		12 898		3 to [illegible]	6½ to 10	As audit of the Central Bank for the year ending 30th June 1943 is pending profit cannot be given
40,057	11 778	54 210		52 [illegible] 28	6 400	2 to [illegible]	6½ to 9½	Not declared. Loans due from Liquidated and wound up Societies Rs 84,600
20 750		6 920		17 375	3 288	1 to 7½	9½ to 10½	
1,71,102				40 298	11 104	[illegible] to 6	6 to 9½	
19,324		50 115		18 854	17 98[illegible]	1 to 5½	9½ to 9½	
4,58,280		1 65 540		1,71 614	12,9[illegible]	2 to 4½	[illegible] to 8½	½ to ordinary share holders 4 to preference share holders
2,08,502		68,070	20 00 000	29 597	14 293	2 to 3½	3½ 7½ and 9½	
6,435			1 00 000	20 767	1 50[illegible]	5	8	
30,297		25 770	1 40,000	7 255	1 [illegible]	4 5	8½	
		24,925	1 00 000	14,428	1 262	4 4½	8 9½ and 10	
				29 876	2,290	3 and 4½	9½, 8½	
3,434				15,916	2 305	4½ and 11	9½	
1,09,067		22,400		2 41,629	1 34 829	6½	1½ to 8½	
1,222					14,981	2 to 6½	9½	
				31,170	3 983	5	9½	
		1 10,600		44,900	16,014	2½ to 6	9½ to 9½	
3,260		29,900		30 666	1 913	5	9	
				22,442	3 200	5½	9½	
2,983		48,254		92,679	4,644	6	9½	
		26,334		20 875	3,275	5½	9½	
				4,322		5 and 5½	9½ and 12½	
18,121		75,980		27,418	7,812	2 to 5½	8 and 8½	
1,042		18,321		18,518	1,270	4½ to 7	9½	

[a] Includes loans to Societies against Fixed Deposits.

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Name of Bank.	Liabilities and					
	Outside the movement				Within	
	Deposits, fixed, current or Savings Bank by non members or by members in an individual capacity	Debentures	Overdrafts from outside banks, e g, Presidency or Joint-Stock	Other items	Fixed deposits or loans received from—	
					Provincial Bank	Central Banks or Societies
1	2	3	4	5	6(a)	6(b)
II —CENTRAL BANKS—*contd*	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
District Dacca —						
Dacca Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	8 26 892				19,608	25,013
Tangi Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	75 839				1,12,000	13,075
Narayanganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 19 639			9,339	4,75,000	2,000
Raipura Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	89 097				6 70,000	
Kaliganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	59 216				62,000	36,400
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	46 091			4,728	1 15,000	
Ichhapura Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	25 521				66,452	13,089
Manikganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,57 922				77,000	
Baira Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	7,092			6,108	1,09,500	8,900
Gopaldi Co-operative Industrial Union, Ltd				234		
District Faridpur						
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	3,31,168			47 630	42 040	
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	3,20 811			42 005		
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,26 514		25,064	6 001		150
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 61,956			12,995	5 55,150	
District Chittagong—						
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,20 847				69 905	1 88 373
Cox's Bazar Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	33 147				86 653	20 000
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2 44 251			10,312	1 47,068	51,120
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	3,24 334					12,224
Lakshmipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	3 724				1 37 104	5,902
Raipura Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	3 293				1,0 000	
Hatiya Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	33 242			2 431	1 51 100	14 465
Sandwip Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	91 701				1,31 283	6 455
Chittagong Milk Supply Union, Ltd					2 604	
Chowmuhani Industrial Union, Ltd	463				5 100	
District Tippera —						
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	5 11 358				3 53 943	1 34,808
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	3 06 239				3 13 600	5,937
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2 00 375				3 98 000	
Nabinagar Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	20 175				3 61 000	
Tippera Raj Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 67 622			25 247	35 000	8,884
Daudkandi Gouripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	8 868				2 22 500	85 514
Laksam Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	10 286				55 913	1,06 693
Matlab Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	18 611			2,288	3 68,000	
District Barisal						
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	9 74 861			40,806		80 536
Bhola Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	89 634			3 841	1 11 775	1 84,954
Mathbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	36 622			6 065	79 346	85,978
Pirojpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	91 4 0				20 770	3,117
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	81 888			4 025	2 180	1 04,147
Khepupara Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	6 987			2 252	86 176	1,79,000
Chakhar Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	4 4 8			07	28,449	
District Rajshahi —						
Rajshahi Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,84 180				83 310	190
Puthia Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	94 720			5 033	13 825	4,578
Nator Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	62 887				64 247	809
Naogaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 51 940				10 000	15,021
Naogaon Co-operative Industrial Union, Ltd	840				13,000	
Gopalpur Sugarcane Growers Co-operative Societies Union, Ltd					2,472	
District Malda						
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,19 171			10 577		6,528
Harishchandrapur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	85 709			3 290	38 700	
Nawabganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	16 701				56 109	70
Chanchal Raj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 16 977					
Bengal Co-operative Silk Union, Ltd	27 400			2,497	11 458	
District Rangpur—						
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2 14 984				1,20,151	
Gaibandha Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 62 791			7 222	76,544	2 955
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	80 184			8,158	95 877	
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	53 014				1 68 259	13,080
Dinajpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	41 697				36 500	1 04,867
Thakurgaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	76 0 6				97 000	
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 30 940			42 992	32,000	2 998
Patgram Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	7 315				31,558	84,745
Jalpaiguri Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	28 424			12 582	60 300	4,254
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2 356				37,489	
Kalimpong Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 27 342			1 425	61,150	18,805
Pedong Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	10 120				41 000	
District Pabna—						
Bhangura Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,983			392	70 000	1,621
Shazadpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,25,683				1 71,000	
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,31,932				78,000	278
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	4,27,691			5,027	75 200	
Sirajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2 55,876				1 11,000	20,327
District Bogra —						
Khanjanpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	71,970				61 830	7,545
Padmapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	34,444			922	1,25,000	4,000
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	4,89,206				2,12,800	1,56,487
Nawadabaga Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	58,911			20	41 947	10,000
Chadanbaisha Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,962			18	20 078	1,43,523
Total of Central Banks	2,36,80,704	2,772	1,19,479	6,86,270	1,15,65 061	37,35,396
Total of Provincial and Central Banks	3,42,52,529	2,772	11,53,357	7,64,418	1 15,65,061	62,16,109
Total of previous half-year	3,43,39,646	2,772	12,04,063	7,94,876	1,01,94,609	47,68,298

I—*continued.*

quasi-liabilities

the movement

Drawn portion of cash credit with Provincial Bank	Savings Bank or current accounts held in favour of Societies or Central Banks	Reserve Fund of Bank itself	Paid up share capital	Other items	Undrawn liabilities, e g, cash credit accounts guaranteed by the Provincial Banks to Central Banks or to Societies and by Central Banks to other Central Banks or Societies		Cash in hand and in outside Banks	Government paper
					To cover deposits	For loans transaction		
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
	7,080	1 51 142	1 38 310	55,917			8 425	70 205
		15 846	21,640	36,934			1 606	
	1,751	86 587	83 465	1,21 958			1 774	
	12 023	73 000	87 150	1 38,102			1 427	
		12 000	21 610				1 034	
	434	51 950	45 460	1,24,585			62	7 000
	27	8 135	10 675	19,473			[illegible]	
	3,456	32,764	47 732	45 400			6 041	1,058
		10,150	19,700	28 904			121	
			84					
	920	1 13 180	64 115	1 30,598			7 737	18 500
21,000	437	58 188	51 425	74 195			8 151	
	543	18 819	50 125	69 550			2 095	
	3 717	75 000	98 905	2,08,420			3 419	
	15 651	49 500	1 00 849	63,665			13 010	
	4 844	6 775	25 885	1 224			[illegible]	
		37,940	66 410	33 743			900	
		52 800	62 875	53 852			810	
		21 221	10 195	36 087			[illegible]	
12,784	1 881	[illegible]	11 554	10,031			6 110	
	106	15 000	41 414	25,752			[illegible]	
	865	14 889	10 650	14,610			[illegible]	
	20	1 112	2 571				[illegible]	
		1 800	8,270				[illegible]	
7,706	5 061	1 07 172	1 30 348	65,867			[illegible]	12,000
	578	1 01 400	1 12 648	1 46 100			61 53[illegible]	
		[illegible] 346	75 578	1,50,438			4 496	7,200
	11 201	19 043	50 475	47 802			[illegible]	
	113	16 048	40 880				11 064	
	1 294	[illegible] 002	16 674	50 617			[illegible]	
	708	10 518	44 876	24 174			864	
	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	92 440			2 800	
	10 32[illegible]	1 39 000	1 22 436	13 570			6 40[illegible]	6 000
		24 717	4[illegible] 022	52 678			784	000
	10 347	35 500	46 750	58 860			11 0[illegible]1	500
	2 389	6,623	[illegible]	14 464			10 871	1 700
		4 [illegible] 12	[illegible]	1 38 054			1 04	
	6 391	1 21 408	83 800	2,18 583			[illegible]	
	1 550	698	11,155				[illegible]	
	4 706	41 000	53 044	1 66,54[illegible]			[illegible]	
8 650		14 12[illegible]	22 108	16,801			[illegible]	
		13 803	28 476	27 031			[illegible]	
	2 957	40 097	52 800	30,71[illegible]			[illegible]	
10 700		4 751	35 697	406			[illegible]	
		117	3 272				[illegible]	
17,400	3 004	22 701	36 470	20 2[illegible]			[illegible]	8 500
7,000		11 132	20 460	27,410			18 [illegible]	
5,000		8 105	13 860	18 017			[illegible]	
		12 715	14 520	25 792			[illegible]	3,283
		5 701	20,918	11,500			[illegible]	
39 726		21,836	41 450	24,470		10,[illegible]98	18 215	
3,654	4 532	45 580	58 82[illegible]	1 09 418			[illegible]	
	841	29 168	31 640	50,519		1 988	[illegible]	3 000
		32 510	41 420	74 190			2[illegible] 217	
	22 051	13 148	33 820	53,412			[illegible]	
10,000		20 801	19 300				2 985	
	31 491	27 292	47 105	45,374			5 691	
	10 421	4 159	22 140			19 767	3 013	1,200
	87 123	5 43[illegible]	23 020	9,045		5,000	[illegible]	500
4,909	2 790	4 479	4 3[illegible]0	5 711			5 127	
		4[illegible] 000	31 9[illegible]0	85,744			[illegible] 413	
	2 476	1 000	14,540	20,904			[illegible]	
	7,043	3 828	11,830	11,408			670	
	951	27 428	41,430	77,487			7,004	
		28 603	39 625	70,295			1 [illegible]	
	6,536	1,08 600	1,02 650	67,265			5	
	10 233	84 220	82,430	1,72,902			2 246	
4,868	2,725	14 436	24,020	10,438			[illegible] 877	
	68	17 953	23,570	37,898			1,437	
22,601	8,975	1 15,318	1,28,840	2,24,970			31	
	1,741	7,514	17,800	21,274			877	
		7 755	26 195	25,615			200	
2,37,956	**6,22,897**	**57,76,687**	**79 [illegible]**	**76,62,394**	**866**	**29,[illegible]**	**9,02,625**	**[illegible]**
2,37,956	**41,87,680**	**66,82,721**	**90,94,836**	**1,[illegible],43,079**	**866**	**65,663**	**10,14 222**	**81 45 917**
2,11,898	**28,94,724**	**63,20,370**	**77,05,645**	**1,[illegible],64,962**	**866**	**57,561**	**7,90 562**	**82 13 401**

PART

Name of Bank	Assets and					
	Outside the movement				Within	
	Post Office Savings Bank deposits	Other investments of a liquid nature in outside concerns	Undrawn balance of assured cash credit		Loans to Agricultural Societies	Loans to non-Agricultural Societies
			With Presidency or Joint Stock Bank	With Provincial Bank		
1	16	17	18	19	20	21
II.—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld.*	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
District Dacca—						
Dacca Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	575	5,917			5 84,335	2,608
Tangi Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2 689	287			1,69 471	
Narayanganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	120	5 250			5,49 274	1 435
Raipura Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	32	18 321			6,79 371	4,786
Kaliganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,201				1 46 623	
Bikrampur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1,172	6 285			2,11,800	
Ichhapura Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	347				87,663	6 276
Manikganj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	191	7 715			2 08 323	
Baira Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	350	50			96 420	
Gopaldi Co operative Industrial Union, Ltd						
District Faridpur—						
Faridpur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	3 904	500	Nil	Nil	4 14 379	639
Goalundo Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	30,098	8 262	Nil	Nil	3 31 594	800
Gopalganj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1,920	Nil	Nil	Nil	2 43 832	2,606
Madaripur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1 061	500	Nil	Nil	6 05 079	4,280
District Chittagong						
Chittagong Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	9	49 674			4 69 289	27 190
Cox's Bazar Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	5,651				85 958	10 884
Noakhali Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	7	6 860			1 06 448	12 568
Feni Central Co operative Bank Ltd	8 803	2 907			1 21 271	1,208
Lakshmipur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	79				1 54 172	
Raipura Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2 591				69 522	3 150
Hatiya Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	19				1 97 755	90
Sandwip Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	10				2 09 600	
Chittagong Milk Supply Union Ltd	1 415	1 441			4 323	
Chowmuhani Industrial Union, Ltd						33 658
District Tippera—						
Comilla Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1 810	13 262		1 294	7 06 758	6 875
Chandpur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	73				5,64 461	2,644
Brahmanbaria Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	6 918				4 70 770	19 434
Nabinagar Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	22 557				4 19 695	1,035
Tippera Raj Central Co operative Bank Ltd					2 09 776	
Daudkandi Gouripur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	9 312				2 52,142	
Laksam Central Co operative Bank Ltd	8 762				2 32 910	2 928
Matlab Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	180				3,90 456	2 763
District Barisal—						
Barisal Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	30 001				18 300	4 848
Bhola Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	80				3,11 636	20 609
Mathbaria Central Co operative Bank, Ltd					2 38 570	166
Perojpur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	6				8 540	2 239
Patuakhali Central Co operative Bank, Ltd					1 93 151	46 009
Khepupara Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	142	1 000			4,63 906	
Chakhar Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	621	1 062			29,582	
District Rajshahi—						
Rajshahi Central Co operative Bank Ltd	11 648	2 719			9 81 724	95
Puthia Central Co operative Bank Ltd	580	64		1 450	1 27 977	
Nator Central Co operative Bank Ltd	6 900				1 19 453	
Naogaon Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	6 000		50 000		2 40 439	
Naogaon Co operative Industrial Union Ltd	881					21,304
Gopalpur Sugarcane Growers Co operative Societies Union, Ltd	66				3,684	
District Malda						
Malda Central Co operative Bank Ltd	20 373	1 292			1 10 168	20 137
Harishchandrapur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	12	600			1 25,170	
Nawabganj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	69				72,701	
Chanchal Raj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	513				98 949	577
Bengal Co operative Silk Union, Ltd	12,000	8 487				27 110
District Rangpur—						
Rangpur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd				74	2 75,855	
Gaibandha Central Co operative Bank Ltd	10 560	411			3 77,100	6,241
Nilphamari Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1 131				1,69 852	1 012
Kurigram Central Co operative Bank Ltd	114				2,23,280	1 979
Dinajpur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	149			21 588	1 52 534	7 388
Thakurgaon Central Co operative Bank Ltd	174				2,92,117	19,112
Balurghat Central Co operative Bank Ltd	12	4 913			2,27,458	1,837
Parbatipur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2 077		12,367		1 15,419	22,000
Jalpaiguri Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	7,189				78,403	25 691
Darjeeling Central Co operative Bank Ltd				1	16 319	
Kalimpong Central Co operative Bank Ltd	11 686	800			2 15 604	
Pedong Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	10,279				66,916	
District Pabna—						
Bhanguria Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2,251	1 554			68,094	1,657
Shahzadpur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	801	1,500			2,97 223	4,453
Ullapara Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	7 259	500			2 21 734	3 440
Pabna Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	904	7,593			5 00,190	9,594
Sirajganj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	10 000	500			4,51,492	3,618
District Bogra—						
Khanjanpur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	690	500		5,637	1 40,597	163
Padmapara Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2,632	500			1 65,228	
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	4 381	1 000		1,399	7 31 617	8,445
Nawadabaga Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	503	500			1,03,273	
Chandanbaisha Central Co operative Bank, Ltd.		500			2,07,045	
Total of Central Banks	5,60,195	9 95,441	4,61,167	75,759	3,70,13,985	6,33,237
Total of Provincial and Central Banks	5,60 195	10,75,192	28,99,809	75,759	3,93,94 812	9,84,364
Total of previous half year	6,73,456	14,54,275	28,64,657	11,966	3,31,64,256	11,81,292

I—concluded.

quasi-assets.

the movement.						Rates of interest on which money is usually—		
Loans or deposits due to the Central Bank by the Provincial Bank or other Central Bank	Loans and deposits due to Provincial Bank by Central Banks	Uncalled share capital	Guaranteed share capital	Other investments inside the movement.	Net profit of past year	Borrowed	Lent	Last dividend declared.
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent.
71,704				90 287	17 346	3 to 5¾	6 to 9¾	
7	2 000	21 640		3 288	4,691	3 to 5½	8 to 9¾	
191		86 136		53 026	25 512	1 to 5¾	8½ to 11¼	
4 138		87 150		94 333	8 955	5	8¾	
		21 610		10 655		3 to 7½	8 to 9½	
52				13,600	7 554	2 to 5½	8½ to 10¾	
31	66 452	16 675		9 055	1 471	5 to 6½	8½ to 10¾	
313		57,548		9 400	3,856	2½ to 5	9	
34		19,700		14 082	1,420	5 5½	8, 10	
9 568	Nil	63 245	Nil	19 119	30 634	2½ to 6	9½ to 12	
Nil	Nil	54 725	1,50,000	61,682	Nil	4 ⅜ 3⅜, 3, 2 and 5½	9 ⅛	Net profit could not be ascertained as the audit has not been done
584	Nil	55 275	2 00 000	18,480	Nil	2 to 5½	9½	
Nil	Nil	98 505	Nil	75,421	35 488	5½ 8½	8 11½	
3 264		1 06 451		32 730	9,008	1 to 6½	8½ to 10½	
	8,048	615		15 656		3 to 5½	8 to 9½	
	3 239	70 300		19 845		3 to 5½	8 to 8½	
	14 403	77 045		54,250	6 600	1 to 8	8½ to 10	
123		38 570	1 00 000	34,281	2,553	2 to 5	8 to 10½	
38 012	95	11 100	1 00 000	14 929		3 to 8	8 10¾	
				12 564	1 858	5 to 5½	8½	
148		30 475		21,682	1 264	2 to 5½	8½	
		713	1 00 000	1 247			10½ to 12½	
			8 330	7,840	471	6	10¾	
2 64 062		1 30 345		49,356	14 553	1 1½ 2, 2½ 3, 5 and 5½	8	
		1 12 648		52 756	15,000	2 3 3½, 3½ 4 5 and 9½	8 and 9½	
		75 578	2 00 000	69 890	21 747	6	9½	
695		50 575		42 840	3 903	2 4 and 5	8½	
12 800		41 150	5 00 000		14,946	1 2, 3 and 5	8, 10 and 10¾	
8 318		44 255		87,470	B/s Not yet drawn	2 to 5	8 and 8½	
5 000		11 8 6			3 743	5½	10	
6 252		53 840		40 047	Nil	5	8½	
7 37,015		1 40 725		22 338	10 734	1½ to 5½	1½ to 10¾	
	3,010	17 528		16 505	3 070	5 to 8	9½	
208		46 750		24 668	4 298	6 to 8	1½ to 12½	
5 131		21 125		5 855		2½ to 6	9½ to 10¾	
11 308		18 044		7 205	9 400	3 to 8	8 1	
12,091		83 900		44 405	27,427	8	9½ 10¾	
286		12 245		7 653	272	5½	9½	
25,929	10 500	79 162		57 260	4 006	1½ to 6½	8 to 9½	1½ on pref shares
				4 543	3 267	5 to 6	9½	
5 200		28 475		5 500	978	5 to 5½	8 to 10½	
7 304		52 380		28 587	6 971	5½	8 to 8½	
	112	5 697		200		4	9½	
1		30 000		391	288	7½	6½	
362	32 100	36 470		55 192	3 640	6 6½ and 7	9½ 8	
9 120		30 000		11 101	2 847	3 to 5½	9½ and 10¾	
240		1 107	80 000	25 583		4 and 5	9½	
		80	1 00 000	5 240	2 473	1 to 5½	8 and 9½	
1,450		22 052		4,920	15	5 to 6	10¾ and 12½	
10 841		41,450		21,490	3 123	5½ 6	9½	
164		58 825	2 00 000	9 821	7 006	5½	8½ 9½	
389			2 00,000	35 799	7 905	1 to 5½	9½	
1,612		45 780			2 242	5½	10¾ 9½	
32			1 00,000	19 554	3 627	1½ to 5½	10¾, 9½	
					4 962	5½	9½	
7,469		47 1 5		15 255	6,864	5½	9½	
9,411		22 140	1 00 000	18 390	2 583	5½	9½	
2,039		23,020	1 00 000	33 740	10 451	1 to 5½	10 12½	
69				6,750		3 4½	6½ 12½	
1,516				14,671	9 581	1½ to 5	9½ 10	
	7,510	14 540	1 00 000	9,346	2 247	2½ to 6½	9½, 10	
	20		5 00 000	8,655	585	5 3	9½ and 7½	
	48	41 430	2 00 000	29 794	3 354	3 to 5½	7 to 7½	
		39 625	5 00 000	20 627	3,717	2½ to 5	8 to 9½	
2,673		1 02,650		20,255	6 161	2 to 5	9½	
406			9 00,000	27,471	6 889			
4,000				11 602	4,139	2 to 6½	9½	
5	82			14,080		2½ to 8	9½ to 12½	
1,34,107		1,28 840		29 105	40 631	2½ to 6	9½ to 12½	
	22	17 300	6,00 000	7,887	3,983	1½, 5, 8, 5½	8 9½	
		26,196	10 00 000	4,755	1,790	4 6½ 8½, 5 6½	9½, 7½, 8½	
56,16,067	1,74,816	44,84,176	80,91,330	33,66,147	4,69 807			
56,16,067	1,18,51,711	64,97,626	85,91,330	33,79,402	5,22 483			
47,10,352	1,15,80,985	65,02,523	35,75,000	30,17,773	2,78,000			

PART II.

Name of Bank	Deposits or debentures of the kind dealt with in columns 2 and 3 of Part I.						Repayment of loans by societies.		
			Other deposits and debentures falling due.				Estimated.		
	On current or Savings Bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months	In twelve months from commencement of present half year	In next twelve months	In twelve months following	In subsequent years	In twelve months from commencement of present half year	In next twelve months	Actual in twelve months preceding present half-year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Rs.	Rs	Rs.
I PROVINCIAL BANK									
Benga Provincial Co operative Bank, Ltd	31,50,938	50,000	20 76 880	17,94,500	17 11,620	14,78,788	1,06 70 288	6,40,237	10,01,506
II CENTRAL BANKS									
Calcutta –									
Co operative Milk Societies Union, Ltd	8 365						500	593	1 786
District 24 Parganas—									
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	4,056		2 01 269				35 000	20 000	14 000
Nimta Central Co operative Bank, Ltd		8 481	1 343	9 716			1,920	12 344	3,040
Diamond Harbour Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	21 014		59 716	1 130			55 000	10 000	17 556
Barasat Central Co operative Bank Ltd			98 013	3,168	85 466		28 200	25 000	21 200
Gosava Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	43 700		1,37 863				57 790	2 841	7,19 200
District Khulna–									
Khulna Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	18 897	18 590	1 60 720	86 985	10,237	23 816	28,000	20 000	11 891
Bagerhat Central Co operative Bank Ltd	1 11 553		24 379	66 848			30 000		20 236
Barui Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	3 501		1 50,238			6 658	30 000	20,000	10 680
Satkhira Central Co operative Bank Ltd						95	67 588		29 902
District Jessore –									
Jessore Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	36 211		2 400	1 20 560	27 240	1,72 157	38 000	40,000	40,663
Magura Central Co operative Bank Ltd	30 216		5,01 542			2 692	1 00 000	1 30 000	62 481
Narail Central Co operative Bank, Ltd		28,252	67 935	74 736	81 940	63 603	80 835	2 20 525	10 874
Jhenidah Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	13 257		20 268	5 408	5 000		64 412	15 000	47,765
District Nadia —									
Nadia Central Co operative Bank Ltd	6 187		6 05 541				50 000	50 000	31 432
Meherpur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	42 181		11 618	19 324	4 336	1 09 619	40 000	40 000	24 078
Chuadanga Central Co operative Bank Ltd						1 70 471	10 000	10 000	11,295
Kushtia Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2 606		16 036				30 000	30 000	14 725
Ranaghat Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1 584		91 806				15 000	12,000	11 805
District Murshidabad									
Kandi Central Co operative Bank Ltd	11,735		21 691	18 873	39,245	5 737	15 000	20 000	
Jangipur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	57 818		94 326				12 000	14 000	20 521
Lalbagh Central Co operative Bank Ltd	538	1 317			2 21 382		8 000	6,000	8 296
Berhampur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	2,54 310	512	2 06 617	50,016	1,11,109		3 481	60	7 511
District Hooghly									
Hooghly Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	22 703	2 86 228					17 500	12 300	18,039
Arambagh Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	8 577		14 228	12,020	2 694	566	16 000	8,000	6 171
District Howrah									
Uluberia Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	17,611		23 767	1 200		3 200	25 000	10,000	718
District Bankura –									
Bankura Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	3,88 064	11 327	51 428	58 500	300		50 000	50 000	15 777
Bishnupur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd		8 862	6 505	2 285	80	326	15 000	9,000	4 729
Bankura District Co operative Industrial Union, Ltd		553	37 580				2,000		178
District Burdwan									
Burdwan Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	17 88 705		3 46 905	3 50 000	3 50 816	4 36 865	50 000	50,000	48,038
Kalna Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	14 554		2 04 271				20 000	20,000	35 403
Katwa Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	81 260		17 654	18 348	10 424		27 000	24 000	9 603
Asansol Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	31,007	6 996	29 015	17 425	6 800	7 000	30,000	20,000	9,194
District Birbhum –									
Birbhum Central Co operative Bank, Ltd *	62 514		13 500			1 23 420	50 000	50,000	38 746
Visva Bharati Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	55 308		93 267				50 000	55,000	30 688
Rampurhat Central Co operative Bank Ltd	63 616	1 75 125					60 000	50 000	20 848
Nalhati Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	23 978		30,570	25 562	23,542	7 800	50 000	45,000	57,342
District Midnapore									
Midnapore Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	5 71 056		1 46 336	1 500		70 606	1 05 000	1 10,000	1,03 002
Tamluk Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	2 67 700		1 70 690	11 000			30 000	50 000	9 948
Khelar Balarampur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	28 161	5 000	5 962	11 882	3 741	17 655	35 000	40,000	28 346
Bellsterah Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	33 773	1 065	25 956	6 002	37 878		30 000	35,000	27,880
Ghatal Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	6 885	40				47 508	44 000	40 000	26,732
Mugberia Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	46 884		34 931	16 033			10 000	15 000	2,053
Balageria Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	10 742		10 334	28,751	16,677	14 907	10,000	16,000	2,831
District Mymensingh									
Mymensingh Central Co operative Bank Ltd	86 489		14 41 258						68 020
Jamalpur Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	61 050		67,694	6,066	7,925	87,925	25 000	25,000	26,033
Pingna Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	3 812		42,868			7 276	25 000	25 000	10,778
Tangail Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	13 001		23 068	25 000	25,000	1 70,000	50 000	60 000	10,097
Madarganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 022		2,502	2,714	125	1,455	30 000	30 000	
Dhanbari Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	383		2 471			1 147	60 000	50 000	41,958
Netrokona Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	12 235		48 785			6 392	50 000	25,000	46,771
Gafargaon Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	29		9 279			1 904	60,000	60,000	35,579
Bhairab Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	2 510		6,501				20 000	8,953	960
Kishorganj Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	15,006		53 433	23 190	36,430		8 000	9,000	7,206
Sarishabari Central Co operative Bank Ltd	93		17 726				30,000	30,000	5,276
District Dacca—									
Dacca Central Co operative Bank Ltd	2 90 602		2 50 312	1 35,316	1 35,311	25,252	60 000	90,000	43,940
Tangi Central Co operative Bank Ltd	1 346		5 000	5,000	5,000	50,493	10 000	10 000	6,500
Narayanganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	34,677		79,358			5 608	50 000	50,080	10,852
Raipura Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	4 473		7,540	7,540	7,540	62,004	34 200	34,200	16,738
Kaliganj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1 195		58,040				15 000	15,000	4 845
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	1 152		43,069	821	29		35 000	50,000	9 407
Ichhapura Central Co operative Bank Ltd	610		10 000	5,000	5,000	4,011	20 000	20,000	15,165
Manikganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	15 333		1,00,000	42,880			15,000	20,000	4,482
Baira Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	806		6,296				11,000	12,000	2,225

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*Figures in columns 5 and 6 cannot be given as the Bank has suspended payments to depositors. Payments are made on prorata basis.

PART II—*concluded*

Name of Bank.	Deposits or debentures of the kind dealt with in columns 2 and 3 of Part I						Repayment of loans by societies		
			Other deposits and debentures falling due				Estimated		
	On current or Savings Bank account.	Deposits for not more than three months	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter	In next twelve months.	In twelve months following.	In subsequent years	In twelve months from commencement of present quarter	In next twelve months	Actual in twelve months preceding present quarter
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
II.—CENTRAL BANKS—*concld*	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
District Faridpur—									
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	30,443		2,00 785			910	1 00 000	1 00 000	51 423
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 76 487		23 415	47 903	4 118	36 601	30 000	15 000	[illegible]
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	23 751		1,49 076	4,342	8 000	40 343	70 000	75 000	23 170
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 61 956						1 00 000	1 00 000	9 308
District Chittagong—									
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	36 890		16 275	[illegible]	40 500	[illegible]	[illegible]	30 226	20 956
Cox's Bazar Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	9 080		23 461				5 000	20 000	12,658
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	3 627		70 000	60 000	80 000	[illegible]	10 000	0 000	24,500
Feni Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	10 662	779	28 638	20 000	1 801	2 11 910	[illegible]	60 000	65 047
Laksmipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	657		34 007				[illegible]	10 000	20,651
Raipura Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	354		2 172	10		721	000	8 000	18 783
Hatiya Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	1 119		31 998			[illegible]	0 000	80 000	2 006
Sandwip Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	11 494		70,012			[illegible]	5 000	30 000	18,653
Chittagong Co-operative Milk supply Union Ltd							100	2 000	81
Chowmuhani Co-operative Industrial Union, Ltd			403				2 000	2 000	1,395
District Tippera—									
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	37 550		4 51 118			19 604	50 000	[illegible]	31 787
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	41 560		1 75 1 4	16 568	26 780	[illegible]	1,67 000	[illegible]	60 640
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2 038		1 97 747				0 621	10 000	22 158
Nabinagar Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2 140		[illegible]	1 082	162	6 834	[illegible]	[illegible]	16 620
Tippera Raj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	4 912		[illegible]				30 000	30 000	[illegible]
Daudkandi-Gouripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	[illegible]	1,042	[illegible]			4	[illegible]	5 000	7 198
Laksam Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2 175	1 812	1 006	800	1 100	3 102	60 000	10 000	31 077
Matlab Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 033		[illegible]	4 200	4 800	[illegible]	25 000	[illegible]	[illegible]
District Bakarganj—									
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	24 76[illegible]	10 405				[illegible]	80 000	10 000	93 420
Bhola Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	5 469		[illegible]	[illegible]	10 604	[illegible]	10 000	10 000	[illegible]
Mathbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	6 712		[illegible]	3 000	4 069	0 031	1 00 000	1 00 000	[illegible]
Perojpur Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	19 243		25 000	24 000	70 000	[illegible]	[illegible]	12 000	7 005
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	6 706		[illegible]				000	10 000	9 000
Khepupara Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	[illegible]		[illegible]	000	[illegible]		[illegible]	10 000	[illegible]
Chakhar Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	1 158					1 270	[illegible]		11,605
District Rajshahi—									
Rajshahi Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	[illegible]		[illegible]	24 501	21 530	[illegible]	0 000	40 000	37,766
Puthia Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	5 404		[illegible]	3 400	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1 000	[illegible]
Nator Central Co-operative Bank Ltd			[illegible]	[illegible]	8 000	[illegible]	10 000	18 000	16 000
Naogaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd			15 104	[illegible]	12 307	[illegible]	20 000	[illegible]	39,923
Naogaon Co-operative Industrial Union Ltd	770					110	[illegible]	00	774
Gopalpur Sugar-cane Growers' Co-operative Societies Union, Ltd							[illegible]		11 146
District Malda—									
Malda Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	4 363		[illegible]	7 100	7 100	60 706	0 000	[illegible]	
Harishchandrapur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	5 620		[illegible]	5 078	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	15 000	41 511
Nawabganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd			[illegible]			464	000	1 500	[illegible]
Chanchal Raj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	[illegible]		11 027	160	160	11 621	[illegible]	0 000	15,540
Bengal Co-operative Silk Union, Ltd			[illegible]	2 500	2 500	20 000	1 000	1 000	540
District Rangpur—									
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	10 500		1 01 881				16 000	8 000	3 032
Gaibandha Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	12 015					[illegible]	1 00 000	1 80 000	1 20 407
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	28 202		[illegible]	[illegible]	6 602	[illegible]	17 000	13 000	1 956
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	6 736		8 020	10 650	[illegible]	[illegible]	0 000	3 000	17 406
Dinajpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	604		[illegible]				[illegible]	10 000	[illegible]
Thakurgaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	29 607		[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1 18 939
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	9 514		[illegible]				[illegible]	[illegible]	47 678
Parbatipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 148		[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Jalpaiguri Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	5 072		[illegible]		2 000	[illegible]	000	18 000	37 200
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	[illegible]						000	[illegible]	2 679
Kalimpong Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]			10 000	17 000	11 107
Pedong Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 535					504	[illegible]	1 000	4 106
District Pabna—									
Bhanguria Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	[illegible]		2 701			270	1 000	1 000	670
Shazadpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	13 473		1 04 747			[illegible]	0 000	000	811
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	8 294		83 168	[illegible]	10 890	[illegible]	10 000	10 000	4 723
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	4 27 601						1 000	15 000	8 970
Serajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	29,612		2 26 201				1000	15 000	38 71[illegible]
District Bogra—									
Khanjanpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	4,79,073		[illegible]			[illegible]	6 000	6 000	[illegible]
Padmapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 841	9	10 880	245	[illegible]	[illegible]	8 000	12 000	[illegible]
Nawadabaga Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1 241		[illegible]	3 600	[illegible]		18 000	10 000	1 304
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	69 410		[illegible]			[illegible]	10 000	60 000	3 974
Chandanbaisha Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd			1 000			062	12 000	10 000	[illegible]
Total of Central Banks	62,42,010	5,67,329	96,63 724	16 24 600	[illegible]	49,97 474	41 15 433	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total of Provincial and Central Banks	97,01,948	6,17,[illegible]	1,17,40,693	34,19 180	[illegible]	84,76 202	1,52 86,721	[illegible]	44 28 272

PART III.

Name of Bank	Portion of deposits or debentures of the kind dealt with in columns 2 and 3 of Part I falling due in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present half-year (4th column of Part II)				Repayments of loans by Societies estimated in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present half-year (column 8 of Part II)			
	First quarter	Second quarter	Third quarter	Fourth quarter	First quarter	Second quarter	Third quarter	Fourth quarter
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs
I – PROVINCIAL BANK								
Bengal Provincial Co operative Bank, Ltd	16,25,578	36,870	1,06,920	3 07,521	95,51 019	8,09 394	1,09,545	1 40,330
II – CENTRAL BANKS								
Calcutta—								
Co-operative Milk Societies Union, Ltd					100	150	150	100
District 24 Parganas—								
Taki Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd		2 01 209				10 000	2,000	
Nimta Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd		1 113			480	180	480	480
Diamond Harbour Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	20 682	22 779	3 520	12 735	47,200	6 000	1 000	800
Barasat Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd			96 913		15 200		13 000	
Gosava Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,22,595	11 187	881	3 000	193	31 260		26,337
District Khulna—								
Khulna Central Co operative Bank Ltd	1,47 297	950	12 473		14 418	10 098	2 206	1 280
Bagerhat Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	18 931	3 170	800	1 478	5 000	10 000	10 000	5,000
Baruli Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	1,50 258				15 000	8 000	2 000	5 000
Satkhira Central Co operative Bank, Ltd					60,000	5 000	1,588	1,000
District Jessore—								
Jessore Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2 400				18 000			20,000
Magura Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	5 01 542				25 000	10 000	15 000	50 000
Narail Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	17 322	16 530	17 241	16 836	20 112	19 746	18 268	22 709
Jhenidah Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	7 011	5 000	4 000	4 257	20 000	15 000	11 000	18,112
District Nadia—								
Nadia Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	6 05,541				15 000	10 000	10 000	15 000
Meherpur Central Co operative Bank Ltd		1 000	3 320	5 280	6 000	10 000	2 000	22,000
Chuadanga Central Co operative Bank, Ltd					1 500	1 000	500	7,000
Kushtia Central Co operative Bank Ltd	1,61 930				10 000	3 000	2 000	15 000
Ranaghat Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	92,800				1 000	3 000	7 000	4,000
District Murshidabad—								
Kandi Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	643	1 947	1 200	5 900	3 500	[illegible]	4 000	2 500
Jangipur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	94,320				6,000	600	2 000	1 000
Lalbagh Central Co operative Bank, Ltd					1 000	2 000	1 000	1 000
Berhampur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	18 302	60 317	51 279	67 719	1 675	955	755	68
District Hooghly—								
Hooghly Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	6 318				6 320	520	1 100	3,560
Arambagh Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	10 000	7 910			12 000	1 000		
District Howrah								
Uluberia Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	17 200	1 400	1 500	8 867	10 000	8 000	5 000	2 000
District Bankura—								
Bankura Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	5 695	1 828	11 800	8 400	30 000	15 000	5 000	2 000
Bishnupur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	9 390	700	200		8 000	5 000	1 000	1 000
Bankura District Co operative Industrial Union, Ltd		9 390	9,390	9 390	900	90	200	600
District Burdwan—								
Burdwan Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	71 609	1 10 950	52 106	1 06 150	12 000	15 000	10 000	10,000
Kalna Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2 04 274				6 000	8 000	2 000	4 000
Katwa Central Co operative Bank Ltd	5 760	9 433	854	1 547	10 000	11 000	3 000	3,000
Asansol Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	18 015	10 100	400		20 000	5 000	3 000	2,000
District Birbhum—								
Birbhum Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	13 500				30 000	10 000	5 000	5 000
Visvabharati Central Co operative Bank, Ltd		1 500*	79 967		30 000	10 000	2 000	8,000
Rampurhat Central Co operative Bank Ltd					3 000	7 000	40 000	10 000
Nalhati Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	8 642	8 600	7 000	5 728	13,750	15 750	18 750	10,750
District Midnapore—								
Midnapore Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	35,640	10 557	68 030	2 000	60 000	15 000	6,000	5,000
Tamluk Central Co operative Bank Ltd	37 116	20 111	24 807	37 865	5 000	15 000	8 000	2,000
Khejar-Balarampur Central Co operative Bank, Ltd				5 962	18,000	10 000	5,000	2 000
Bollaberah Central Co operative Bank, Ltd				2 956	10 000	10 000	8 000	2,000
Ghatal Central Co operative Bank Ltd					20,000	14 000	7 000	3 000
Mugberia Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	10 672	3 451	11 728	3 120	3 000	4 000	1 000	1,000
Balageria Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	9 704	570			4,000	4,000	1 000	1 000
District Mymensingh—								
Mymensingh Central Co operative Bank Ltd	11 41 258							
Jamalpur Central Co operative Bank Ltd	64 601			3 000	8 000	3 000	5 000	9,000
Pingna Central Co operative Bank Ltd	42 868				5 000	8 000	3,000	14,000
Tangail Central Co operative Bank Ltd	8 068	000	5,000	3 000	15 000	10 000	10 000	15 000
Madarganj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2 502				10 000	5 000	5 000	10,000
Dhanbari Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	2 471				35 000	6 000	1 000	15 000
Netrokona Central Co operative Bank Ltd	18,785				43 000	1,000	1,000	5 000
Gaffargaon Central Co operative Bank Ltd	9 270				25 000	25 000	5 000	5,000
Bhairab Central Co operative Bank Ltd	6 501				5 000	10 000	5,000	2,000
Kishorganj Central Co operative Bank Ltd	16,506		5,037	1,800	3 250	500	2 000	2 250
Sarisabari Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	17,726				2,000		8,000	20,000
District Dacca—								
Dacca Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	55 116	63 218	77,321	54 656	25 000	5,000	10 000	20,000
Tangi Central Co-operative Bank Ltd				5,000	1 000	2 000	5,000	2,000
Narayanganj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	79 854				5 000	5,000	12,000	30,000
Raipura Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd		7 540			1,200	8,000	10,000	15 000
Kaliganj Central Co operative Bank, Ltd	58 040				5 000	1 000	4 000	5,000
Bikrampur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	31,238	11 800	51		3 000	2,000	15,000	15 000
Ichhapura Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	4 000	2 000	2,000	2,000	5 000	5,000	5 000	5,000
Manikganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	35 000	25 000	20,000	20,000	8,000	1,000	2 000	4,000
Baira Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	6,286				4,000	2,000	2,000	3,000

*To be paid on prorata basis.

PART III—concluded.

Name of Bank	Portion of deposits or debentures of the kind dealt with in columns 2 and 3 of Part I falling due in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present quarter (4th column of Part II)				Repayments of loans by Societies estimated in each quarter in twelve months from commencement of present quarter (column 8 of Part II)			
	First quarter	Second quarter	Third quarter	Fourth quarter	First quarter	Second quarter	Third quarter	Fourth quarter
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
II.—CENTRAL BANKS—concld.	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs.
District Faridpur—								
Faridpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,99,785	Nil	Nil	Nil	2,900	10,000	10,000	47,094
Goalundo Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	6,511	8,832	3,499	1,573	6,000	11,000	5,000	8,000
Gopalganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,49,076	Nil	Nil	Nil	25,000	7,000	20,000	18,000
Madaripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	25,000	5,000	10,000	40,000
District Chittagong—								
Chittagong Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	5,000	4,500	2,572	4,200	10,[illegible]	9,[illegible]	15,075	25,200
Cox's Bazar Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	23,461				2,000	1,000	8,000	4,000
Noakhali Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	10,000	30,000	20,000	10,000	4,000	4,000	1,000	1,000
Feni Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	6,470	6,240	5,608	10,233	3,000	1,000	5,000	10,000
Laksmipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	14,967				6,882	8,500	3,000	7,000
Raipura Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,172				1,000	2,000	5,000	1,000
Hatiya Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	31,998				40,000	20,000		10,000
Sandwip Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	70,042				25,000	10,000	5,000	5,000
Chittagong Milk Supply Union Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd							100	300
Choumuhani Industrial Union Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	150	150	150	13	500	[illegible]	600	300
District Tippera—								
Comilla Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	4,53,971	16	151		2[illegible],000	10,000	6,000	10,000
Chandpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	80,9[illegible]	17,300	39,580	17,614	60,000	38,100	40,000	8,000
Brahmanbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,07,7[illegible]				10,000	[illegible]	10,000	5,000
Nabinagar Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	5,483	2,722	1,250	212	2,000	5,000	10,000	13,500
Tippera Raj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,62,710				7,000	7,000	10,000	6,000
Daudkandi-Gouripur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd		1,500	500	680	3,000	2,000	15,000	5,000
Laksam Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd		552	150	584	45,000	5,000	[illegible]	5,000
Matlab Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd			2,000	1,000	5,000	5,000	7,500	7,500
District Bakarganj—								
Barisal Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd					5,000	11,000	15,000	17,000
Bhola Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	15,827	21,01[illegible]	8,0[illegible]	8,977	1[illegible],000	10,000	5,000	10,000
Mathbaria Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd		50	2,000		70,000	5,000	2,500	2,500
Pirojpur Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	15,000	1,000	3,000	2,000	10,000	8,000	1,000	3,000
Patuakhali Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	75,182				500	1,000	4,000	1,500
Khepupara Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd		715			40,000	8,000	1,000	1,000
Chakhar Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd					3,000	7,000	12,000	7,582
District Rajshahi—								
Rajshahi Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	15,099	6,000	[illegible]	4,100	30,000	10,000	1,000	7,000
Puthia Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	475	[illegible]			4,000	[illegible]	1,000	5,000
Nator Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,000	[illegible]	[illegible]	250	8,000	2,000	1,000	1,000
Naogaon Central Co-operative Bank Ltd	[illegible],000	1,000	1,000	2,104	1,000	600	1,000	1,000
Naogaon Co-operative Industrial Union, Ltd					500	[illegible]	[illegible]	100
Gopalpur Sugarcane Growers Co-operative Societies Union, Ltd					1,800	500	500	684
District Malda—								
Malda Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	[illegible],000	1,000	[illegible],000	[illegible]	290	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Harishchandrapur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,578	[illegible]			20,0[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10,000
Nawabganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	16,2[illegible]7				[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	5,104
Chanchal Raj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	16,627				12,000	[illegible]	[illegible]	12,000
Bengal Co-operative Silk Union, Ltd	2,500				[illegible]	100	400	[illegible]
District Rangpur—								
Rangpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,94,8[illegible]				2,[illegible]	2,[illegible]	[illegible]	2,500
Gaibandha Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd					[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	40,000
Nilphamari Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd		1,082		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,000	5,000
Kurigram Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	3,520	2,000	2,000	1,400	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	3,000
Dinajpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	40,803				[illegible]	[illegible]		
Thakurgaon Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	45,215				[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12,840
Balurghat Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,21,140				[illegible]	[illegible]	1,000	2,000
Parbatipur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd				134	[illegible]	2,000	1,000	2,000
Jalpaiguri Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,421	[illegible]	1,000		[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	13,000
Darjeeling Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd					[illegible]	[illegible]	500	1,000
Kalimpong Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	86,042	[illegible]			1,000	[illegible]	1,000	2,000
Pedong Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd					1,000	1,000	2,000	1,000
District Pabna—								
Bhanguria Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	909	[illegible]	[illegible]	492	7,[illegible]	[illegible]	2,[illegible]	[illegible]
Shamdpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	10,62[illegible]	[illegible]			11,000	1,000	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ullapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	27,[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	24,7[illegible]	2,000	1,000	1,000	4,000
Pabna Central Co-operative Bank Ltd					2,000	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Serajganj Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,26,2[illegible]				2,000	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
District Bogra—								
Khanjanpur Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	68,99[illegible]				2,000	1,000	[illegible]	7,500
Padmapara Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,400	4,000	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	2,000	2,000	[illegible]
Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	2,01,229		2,13,272		16,000	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Nawadabaga Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	42,406	5,937			[illegible]	[illegible]	4,000	5,000
Chandanbaisha Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd	1,800				[illegible]	1,000	3,000	2,000
Total of Central Banks	71,72,901	10,[illegible]3,425	9,[illegible]6,270	5,21,125	17,86,975	10,14,[illegible]	8,[illegible]	[illegible]729
Total of Provincial and Central Banks	87,95,479	10,90,298	10,23,190	9,20,546	1,13,37,014	18,84,014	[illegible]	[illegible]

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS.

Weather and Crop Report for the week ending 8th November 1944.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee. This week.	Price of common rice in seers, per rupee. Previous week.	Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc
1	2	3	4	5
1	24-Parganas	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	Fodder and water are sufficient Cattle-disease is reported from Habra police-station
	Diamond Harbour	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
	Barrackpore	$2\frac{7}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
	Barasat	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
	Basirhat	$4\frac{7}{16}$	$4\frac{7}{16}$	
2	Nadia	$3\frac{3}{8}$	$3\frac{3}{8}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Kushtia	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
	Meherpur	$4\frac{7}{16}$	$4\frac{7}{16}$	
	Chuadanga	4	4	
	Ranaghat	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{3}{16}$	
3	Murshidabad	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	....
	Lalbagh	$3\frac{7}{8}$	4	
	Jangipur	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{4}$	
	Kandi	(n)	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
4	Jessore	$4\frac{1}{16}$	$4\frac{1}{16}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Jhenidah	4	4	
	Magura	$4\frac{1}{16}$	$4\frac{1}{16}$	
	Narail	4	4	
	Bongaon	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{13}{16}$	
5	Khulna	5	4	Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Satkhira	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{3}{8}$	
	Bagerhat	$4\frac{1}{16}$	4	
6	Burdwan	$2\frac{7}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	Scarcity of fodder and water is reported from Kalna subdivision only These are sufficient in other subdivisions
	Asansol	$3\frac{1}{8}$	3	
	Katwa	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
	Kalna	$2\frac{15}{16}$	$2\frac{15}{16}$	
7	Birbhum	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{8}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Rampurhat	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
8	Bankura	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{8}$	Fodder and water are sufficient Cattle-disease is reported from Saltora and Mejhia police-stations
	Vishnupur	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
9	Midnapore	(n)	$2\frac{7}{8}$ to $3\frac{1}{16}$	....
	Contai	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{3}{8}$	
	Tamluk	$2\frac{3}{8}$	$2\frac{3}{8}$	
	Ghatal	$3\frac{13}{16}$	(n)	
	Jhargram	$3\frac{3}{16}$	$3\frac{1}{8}$	
10	Hooghly	$2\frac{11}{16}$	$2\frac{11}{16}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Serampore	$2\frac{7}{8}$	$2\frac{7}{8}$	
	Arambagh	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
11	Howrah	$2\frac{7}{16}$	$2\frac{7}{8}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Uluberia	$2\frac{13}{16}$	$2\frac{1}{16}$	
12	Rajshahi (Rampur-Boalia)	4	4	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Naogaon	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
	Nator	4	4	
13	Dinajpur	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{8}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Thakurgaon	$4\frac{11}{16}$	$3\frac{7}{8}$	
	Balurghat	4	$4\frac{1}{16}$	
14	Jalpaiguri	$3\frac{1}{4}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Alipur	$2\frac{7}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
15	Darjeeling	$2\frac{1}{16}$	$2\frac{7}{16}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Kurseong	$2\frac{1}{16}$	$2\frac{7}{16}$	
	Siliguri	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{3}{8}$	
	Kalimpong	$2\frac{7}{16}$	$2\frac{7}{16}$	
16	Rangpur	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{3}{16}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Nilphamari	$3\frac{13}{16}$	$3\frac{13}{16}$	
	Kurigram	$3\frac{13}{16}$	$3\frac{3}{8}$	
	Gaibandha	3	$3\frac{3}{16}$	
17	Bogra	$3\frac{3}{16}$	$3\frac{3}{16}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
18	Pabna	$3\frac{3}{16}$	$3\frac{3}{16}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Serajganj	$3\frac{1}{8}$	(n)	
19	Malda	$3\frac{3}{8}$	$3\frac{1}{8}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
20	Cooch Behar	(n)	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
21	Dacca	$3\frac{1}{8}$	$3\frac{13}{16}$	..
	Manikganj	$3\frac{11}{16}$	$3\frac{13}{16}$	
	Narayanganj	4	$3\frac{7}{8}$	
	Munshiganj	4	$3\frac{7}{8}$	
22	Mymensingh	$4\frac{7}{16}$	$4\frac{1}{16}$	Fodder and water are available
	Jamalpur	$3\frac{7}{8}$	$3\frac{13}{16}$	
	Tangail	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{3}{16}$	
	Netrakona	$3\frac{3}{8}$	$3\frac{3}{8}$	
	Kishoreganj	$3\frac{7}{8}$	$3\frac{7}{8}$	
23	Faridpur	$4\frac{7}{16}$	4	Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari)	$2\frac{7}{8}$	$2\frac{7}{8}$	
	Madaripur	$4\frac{7}{16}$	5	
	Gopalganj	$3\frac{7}{8}$	$3\frac{3}{8}$	
24	Bakarganj (Barisal)	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{1}{16}$	Fodder and water are sufficient
	Pirojpur	$3\frac{1}{16}$	$3\frac{3}{8}$	
	Patuakhali	4	$3\frac{1}{16}$	
	Dakshin Shabaspur (Bhola)	5	$5\frac{1}{16}$	
25	Chittagong	5 to $6\frac{11}{16}$	5 to $6\frac{13}{16}$	Fodder and water are sufficient. Sporadic cases of cattle disease are reported from some police-stations.
	Cox's Bazar	3	(n)	
26	Tippera (Brahmanbaria)	$4\frac{1}{16}$	$4\frac{1}{16}$	
	Chandpur	$4\frac{7}{16}$	$4\frac{7}{16}$	
	Chandina	$5\frac{11}{16}$	5	
	Laksham	$4\frac{7}{16}$	$5\frac{13}{16}$	
27	Noakhali	4	5	...
	Feni	$5\frac{1}{16}$	4	
28	Chittagong Hill Tracts	4	4	Fodder and water are available Cattle-disease (hoof-disease) is prevailing in Dighinala police-station
29	Tripura State	$3\frac{1}{4}$ to $11\frac{1}{4}$	$3\frac{1}{8}$ to $11\frac{1}{8}$	Cattle-disease (rinderpest and foot and mouth) prevails in Udaipur, Sadar and Sabroom Divisions

(n) Not reported.

Calcutta, the 13th November 1944.

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for Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, gur, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of September 1944.

Marts.	Paddy local (best quality)			Paddy local (common quality).			Rice local (best quality)		
	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs a. p.	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs a p	Rs a. p	Rs a. p	Rs a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a. p
Calcutta	(n)	(n)		(n)	(n)	12 8 0	(n)	(n)	
Burdwan	7 0 0	7 8 0	(n)	7 0 0	7 8 0	(n)	13 0 0	13 8 0	
Midnapore	7 8 0	8 0 0	12 8 0	7 4 0	8 0 0	12 4 0	(b)	15 0 0	
Chittagong	8 0 0	(n)		6 0 0	(n)		(b)	16 4 0	
Dacca	(a)	9 8 0		(a)	8 8 0		(b)	16 8 0	
Pabna	(a)	9 0 0		6 12 0	7 0 0	12 8 0	(b)	15 0 0	
Rangpur	7 10 0	7 0 0		7 0 0	6 8 0		14 9 0	14 10 0	
Serajganj (Pabna)									
Sarisabari (Mymensingh)									
Narayanganj (Dacca)									

Marts	Rice local (common quality)			Wheat			Raw cotton		
	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year
1	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a. p
Calcutta	(n)	(n)	24 0 0	(n)	(n)	(n)	24 8 0	28 6 0	31 8 9
Burdwan	13 0 0	13 8 0	(n)						
Midnapore	12 12 0	15 0 0							
Chittagong	(b)	16 4 0							
Dacca	14 0 0	15 0 0							
Pabna	11 12 0	12 4 0	24 0 0						
Rangpur	13 6 0	18 0 0							
Serajganj (Pabna)									
Sarisabari (Mymensingh)									
Narayanganj (Dacca)									

Marts	Coal			Raw jute (weighted average)			Gur (sugarcane)		
	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year
1	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p
Calcutta	1 9 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	15 2 0	14 9 0		11 6 0	12 10 0	20 0 0
Burdwan							11 15 0	11 15 0	(n)
Midnapore							21 8 0	21 8 0	(n)
Chittagong							24 0 0	26 0 0	(n)
Dacca							14 2 0	14 12 0	20 0 0
Pabna							22 8 0	26 0 0	25 0 0
Rangpur							(n)	(n)	26 8 0
Serajganj (Pabna)				12 12 0	13 0 0	9 12 0			
Sarisabari (Mymensingh)				(n)	10 12 0 to 16 12 0	8 0 0 to 12 0 0			
Narayanganj (Dacca)				(n)	12 12 0 to 16 8 0	11 0 0 to 14 8 0			

(a) No paddy is available in the open market at controlled wholesale price (b) No rice is available in the open market at controlled wholesale price

(n) Not reported

A. AHMAD, *Personal Assistant,*
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Calcutta, the 30th October 1944.

Prices-current (retail) of common rice and salt in the districts of Bengal for the first half of September 1944.

Division and district	Marts	Quantity per rupee in seers of eighty tolas								
		Common rice						Salt.		
		Average.			Cheapest					
		Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		S Ch	S Ch.	S Ch	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.
Presidency Division										
24 Parganas	1 Chetla Hat	(n)	2 3		(n)	2 6		(n)	2 15C	6 0C
	2 Mogra Hat	2 5	2 7		2 5	2 7		3 6C	2 13C	4 14C
	3 Calcutta-Beliaghata	(n)	2 7	2 0	(n)	2 7		5 13C	5 13C	6 0C
Nadia	4 Goari	2 15	2 13		3 3	2 15		5 5C	5 5C	6 8C
	5 Ranaghat	2 11	2 11		2 11	2 11		5 5C	5 5C	6 8P 8 0K
Murshidabad	6 Berhampore	2 14	2 11		3 1	2 14		5 5C	5 5C	7 0K
	7 Kandi	3 1	2 13		3 1	2 13		4 15C	4 15C	8 0K 7 8B
	8 Jangipur	3 3	3 1		3 3	3 1		5 5C	5 5K	6 0K
Jessore	9 Sadar	11	3 6		4 0	3 9		5 5C	5 5C	5 8C 8 0G
	10 Bongaon	3 3	2 13		4 0	3 3		4 9C	4 9C	6 8C 8 0G
Khulna	11 Sadar	2 13	2 11		3 3	2 15		5 5C	5 5C	
	12 Bagerhat	2 11	2 13		2 15	2 15		5 5K	5 5K	
Burdwan Division										
Burdwan	13 Sadar	2 15	2 11		2 15	2 11		5 5C	5 5C	7 0C 7 8K
	14 Kalna	(n)	2 11		(n)	2 11		(n)	4 15C	
Birbhum	15 Suri	2 15	2 15		3 3	3 3		5 5C	5 5C	
	16 Rampurhat	3 3	3 1		3 6	3 3		5 5C	5 5C	
Bankura	17 Sadar	3 1	2 12		3 3	2 12		5 5C	5 5C	
	18 Vishnupur	2 6	2 7		2 6	2 7		5 5C	5 5C	6 8P
Midnapore	19 Sadar	2 13	2 9		3 1	2 9		5 13C	5 13C	5 6C
	20 Contai	3 1	2 7		3 1	2 7		8 0C	8 0C	8 0C
Hooghly	21 Sadar	2 7	2 7		2 7	2 7		5 5C	5 5C	
	22 Arambagh	2 9	2 9		2 11	2 11		4 9C	4 9C	
Howrah	23 Sadar	2 5	1 14		2 11	1 14		5 5C	5 5C	
	24 Uluberia	2 4	2 3		2 5	2 4		4 9C	4 9C	
Rajshahi Division.										
Rajshahi	25 Rampur Boalia	3 6	3 1		3 9	3 3		5 5C	5 5C	6 0K
	26 Nator	3 6	3 1		3 12	3 3		5 5C	5 5C	
Dinajpur	27 Dinajpur Kalibazar Hat	3 3	3 6		3 9	3 12		4 15C	4 15C	5 8K
Jalpaiguri	28 Sadar	3 1	3 1		3 1	3 1		4 9C	4 9C	
Darjeeling	29 Sadar	2 7	2 7		2 7	2 7		4 9C	4 9C	5 0P 5 0K
	30 Siliguri	2 4	3 0		2 4	3 0		4 15C	4 15C	5 0C 5 0K
Rangpur	31 Sadar	2 11	2 15		2 12	3 12		5 5C	4 9C	
	32 Nilphamari	2 13	2 14		2 14	3 0		4 9C	4 9C	
Bogra	33 Sadar	2 15	2 15		2 15	2 15		4 4C	5 5C	6 0C
Pabna	34 Sadar	2 13	2 13		3 3	3 3		5 5C	5 5C	
	35 Serajganj	2 7	2 7		2 7	2 7		5 5C	5 5C	6 0F 6 0K
Malda	36 Sadar	3 2	3 1		3 2	3 1	2 0	4 9C	4 9C	6 8OK 6 8K
	37 Balia Nawabganj	(n)	3 2		(n)	3 4	2 0	(n)	2 8K	6 0OK 6 9K
Dacca Division.										
Dacca	38 Sadar	2 7	2 9		2 12	2 10		4 15C	4 15C	4 8C
Mymensingh	39 Mirkadim	(n)	(n)		(n)	(n)		(n)	(n)	
	40 Nasirabad	(n)	(n)		(n)	(n)		(n)	(n)	4 8K
	41 Netrakona	2 14	2 14		3 1	3 2		5 5C	5 5C	4 8C
Faridpur	42 Sadar	2 9	2 12		2 11	3 1		5 5C	5 5C	5 8C
	43 Rajbari	2 7	2 7		2 7	2 7		4 9C	4 9C	5 2C
Bakarganj	44 Barisal	2 14	3 1		2 15	3 1		4 9C	5 5C	6 0C 6 8K
	45 Perojpur	(n)	(n)		(n)	(n)		(n)	(n)	..
Chittagong Division.										
Tippera	46 Comilla	(n)	(n)	..	(n)	(n)		(n)	(n)	5 8C
	47 Chandpur	2 3	2 6	..	2 11	2 12		3 3C	2 11C	
Noakhali	48 Kalitara Hat	2 13	2 13	.	2 15	3 1		2 11C	2 11C	5 9C
	49 Feni Hat	(n)	2 15		(n)	2 9		(n)	4 0K	5 9C
Chittagong	50 Sadar	2 7	2 7		2 15	2 7		4 4C	4 4C	..
	51 Cox's Bazar	2 0	2 0		2 0	2 0		4 0C	4 9C	..
	52 Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangamati	4 0	2 8		4 0	2 9	2 8	4 4C	4 4C	5 0C

P—Panga. K—Karkach. C—Crushed. B—Bombay. G—Gory. F—Foreign.
OK—Okha and other Indian varieties. (n) Not reported.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION

No 1088L — 17th November, 1944. — The Governor having been pleased to order, under rule 47 of the Bengal Legislative Assembly Procedure Rules, the publication of the following Bill, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons which accompanies it, in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the Bill and the Statement of Objects and Reasons are accordingly hereby published for general information

THE BENGAL PRIVATE FORESTS BILL, 1944.

A
BILL

to provide for the conservation of forests and for the afforestation of waste lands in Bengal in certain cases

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the conservation of forests and for the afforestation of waste lands in Bengal where such forests or lands are not the property of the Crown or where the Crown has no proprietary right over such forests or lands,

It is hereby enacted as follows —

CHAPTER I

PRELIMINARY

Short title extent and commencement

1. (*1*) This Act may be called the Bengal Private Forests Act, 1944

(2) It extends to the whole of Bengal

(3) This section shall come into force at once and the remaining provisions of this Act, in whole or in part shall come into force in such areas and on such dates as the Provincial Government may, by notification specify and for this purpose different dates may be specified for different provisions of this Act and for different areas

Definitions

2. In this Act unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

(*1*) "Appellate Committee" means a committee appointed by the Provincial Government to hear appeals under this Act consisting of three members of whom the Chairman shall be the Collector of the district one member shall be a Forest officer and the other member shall be an owner of a private forest who shall be selected in the prescribed manner from owners of private forests in notified areas,

(*2*) "cattle" includes elephants, camels buffaloes, horses, mares, geldings, ponies, colts, fillies mules, asses, pigs, rams, ewes, sheep, lambs, goats and kids

(*3*) "conservation of a forest" includes such measures as are necessary in the opinion of the Regional Forest-officer for the prevention or remedying of the erosion of the soil or any flood or landslide,

(*4*) "controlled forest" means a forest in respect of which a working plan has been approved under sub section (*6*) of section 3,

(*5*) "forest" includes any land recorded as forest in a record of rights prepared under Chapter X of the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885, VIII of 1885

(*6*) "Forest-offence" means an offence punishable under this Act or under any rule made thereunder,

(*7*) "Forest-officer" means any person whom the Provincial Government or any officer empowered by the Provincial Government in this behalf, may appoint to carry out all or any of the purposes of this Act or to do anything required by this Act or any rule made thereunder to be done by a Forest-officer,

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(Clause 3.)

(8) "forest-produce" includes—

(*a*) the following whether found in, or brought from, a forest or not, that is to say —

timber, charcoal, caoutchouc, catechu, wood-oil, resin, natural varnish, bark, lac, mahua flowers, mahua seeds, kuth and myrabolams, and

(*b*) the following when found in, or brought from, a forest, that is to say —

(*i*) trees and leaves, flowers and fruits, and all other parts or produce not hereinbefore mentioned, of trees,

(*ii*) plants not being trees (including grass creepers, reeds and moss), and all parts or produce of such plants,

(*iii*) wild animals and skins, tusks, horns, bones, silk, cocoons, honey and wax, and all other parts of produce of animals, and

(*iv*) peat, surface soil, rock and minerals (including limestone, laterite, mineral oils, and all products of mines or quarries),

(*9*) 'Forest Settlement-officer" means an officer appointed by the Provincial Government to inquire into and determine the existence, nature and extent of any rights alleged to exist in favour of any person in or over any land comprised within a notified area or in or over any forest produce and to deal with the same as provided in this Act and includes any Board appointed by the Provincial Government to perform the duties of a Forest Settlement officer under this Act, consisting of not more than three officers of whom not more than one shall hold any forest office except that of Forest Settlement officer

Provided that where an officer is appointed to be a Forest Settlement officer, such officer shall not ordinarily be a person holding any other forest-office,

(*10*) notification" means a notification published in the *Official Gazette*,

(*11*) notified area" means an area specified in a notification issued under sub section (*1*) of section 3,

(*12*) owner" includes a Court of Wards in respect of property under the superintendence or charge of such Court, and also any transferee or other successor-in-interest of such property and any receiver appointed by a competent Court

(*13*) prescribed" means prescribed by rules made under this Act,

(*14*) private forest' means a forest which is not the property of the Crown or over which the Crown has no proprietary right

(*15*) Regional Forest officer means a Forest officer appointed as such by a notification for a notified area

(*16*) 'river" includes any stream, canal creek or other channel, natural or artificial,

(*17*) timber' includes trees when they have fallen or have been felled, and all wood whether cut up or fashioned or hollowed out for any purpose or not,

(*18*) 'tree includes palms, bamboos, stumps, brush-wood and canes,

(*19*) vested forest" means a forest of which the control has been vested in a Regional Forest officer by a notification under sub section (*2*) of section 5 or under section 6 or under section 10 and includes any forest deemed to be, or managed as, a vested forest under this Act,

(*20*) 'waste-land" means any waste land which is not the property of the Crown or over which the Crown has no proprietary right

(*21*) working plan" means a written scheme of management for controlling the treatment of a forest, and

(*22*) 'year means a year beginning on the 1st day of April

CHAPTER II

CONSERVATION OF PRIVATE FORESTS AND AFFORESTATION OF WASTE LANDS.

Control of private forests and working plan for the conservation of such forests.

3. (*1*) **The Provincial Government may, by a notification, direct that every owner of a private forest which is not a vested forest but which is situated within such area as may be specified in the notification shall prepare in the prescribed manner and submit within the period mentioned in the notification to the Regional Forest-officer a working plan for the conservation of such private forest**

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(Clauses 4, 5.)

(2) On the expiry of the period mentioned in the notification under sub-section (1), the Regional Forest officer shall, after considering each working plan submitted to him under that sub section by an order in writing, accept the working plan or modify it in such manner as he may consider necessary or substitute another working plan for it

(3) If any owner of such private forest does not submit a working plan within the period specified in the notification issued under sub section (1) or signifies in writing to the Regional Forest officer his unwillingness or inability to prepare a working plan, the Regional Forest officer may prepare a working plan in respect of such forest

(4) When the Regional Forest-officer by an order in writing modifies any working plan under sub section (2) or substitutes another working plan under that sub section for the working plan submitted under sub-section (1), he shall cause a copy of such order to be served in the prescribed manner upon the owner of such private forest to which such working plan relates and such owner may within sixty days of the date of service of such order appeal against such order to the Appellate Committee and the Appellate Committee may thereupon after giving such owner an opportunity of being heard either accept the working plan with or without modifications or reject it and the decision of the Appellate Committee on every such appeal shall be final

(5) When the Appellate Committee accepts any working plan with or without modifications under sub section (4) or the Regional Forest officer accepts, modifies or substitutes any working plan under sub section (2) or prepares any working plan under sub-section (3), such committee or officer shall by an order in writing approve such working plan or the working plan as so modified by the committee or such officer, as the case may be, and every working plan so approved shall be deemed for the purposes of this Act to be an approved working plan

Provided that the Regional Forest officer shall not so approve any working plan that he has modified or substituted by an order under sub section (2) if—

(a) an appeal against the order has been made to the Appellate Committee, or

(b) where no such appeal has been made the time within which such appeal may be made has not expired

(6) A copy of every approved working plan shall be sent in the prescribed manner by the Regional Forest officer to the owner of the private forest to which it relates and the owner shall thereupon manage such forest in accordance with such plan and shall carry out all the terms and conditions thereof

(7) At any time after five years from the date of approval of a working plan under sub section (5) the Regional Forest officer may modify the approved working plan in such manner as he considers necessary and the provisions of sub sections (1) (5) and (6) shall apply to every plan so modified

Provided that nothing in this section shall prevent the owner after the expiry of the said period of five years from applying in writing to the Regional Forest officer for the modification of the working plan in such manner as may be specified in the application and if the Regional Forest officer after giving the owner an opportunity of being heard does not see fit so to modify the working plan, he shall record an order to that effect and the owner may within thirty days from the date of such order appeal against such order to the Appellate Committee and the decision of the Appellate Committee on such appeal shall be final

Prohibition of leases and extension of terms of existing leases of private forests after issue of notification under section 3(1).

4. After the publication of a notification under sub section (1) of section 3, no owner of a private forest in the notified area shall enter into any new lease or extend the term of any existing lease in respect of such forest until the working plan in respect of such forest has been approved under sub section (5) of that section except with the previous sanction of the Provincial Government and after such working plan has been so approved except in accordance with the terms and conditions of such plan and any lease entered into or any extension of the term of any lease granted in contravention of the provisions of this section shall, notwithstanding anything contained in any other law for the time being in force, be void and have no effect

Penalty for the violation of working plan.

5. (1) If after an approved working plan in respect of any private forest has been sent under sub-section (6) of section 3 to the owner of such forest, such owner fails or neglects to carry out any of the terms and conditions of such plan, he shall be punishable with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees

(2) If the owner of a private forest is convicted a second or subsequent time under sub-section (1) for the failure or neglect to carry out any of the terms and conditions of the working plan in

respect of such forest, the Provincial Government may by a notification direct that the control of such forest shall be vested in such Regional Forest-officer for such period as may be specified in such notification

Provided that no such notification shall be issued until such owner has been called upon by notice in writing by the Regional Forest-officer within sixty days of such conviction to show cause before the Appellate Committee within such time as may be specified in the notice why such notification should not be issued and until the Appellate Committee after considering the cause, if any, shown by him and any evidence which he may produce in support thereof has recommended to the Provincial Government that such notification should be issued

(*3*) Nothing in sub-section (*1*) shall render any owner of any private forest liable to conviction for any deviation from any approved working plan if such deviation has been previously sanctioned by the Regional Forest-officer on application made by such owner in that behalf to such officer or by the Appellate Committee on an appeal from an order of the Regional Forest-officer refusing to sanction such deviation presented by the owner to such committee within thirty days from the date of such order

Vesting of forest in a Regional Forest officer

6 Notwithstanding anything contained in section 3 and in sub section (*2*) of section 5, if the Provincial Government is satisfied that the conservation of any private forest in a notified area should not be left to the owner thereof, the Provincial Government may by a notification specifying the reasons for so doing direct that the control of such forest shall be vested in such Regional Forest-officer for such period as may be specified in the notification

Provided that no such notification shall be issued until

(*a*) the Regional Forest-officer has by notice in writing called upon the owner of such forest to show cause before the Appellate Committee within such period as may be specified in such notice why the control of such forest should not be so vested, and

(*b*) the Appellate Committee after considering the cause (if any) shown by the owner and any evidence which the owner may produce in support of the same has recommended that such notification should be issued

Forest loans

7. (*1*) Subject to rules made under this Act loans may be granted on the recommendation of the Appellate Committee by such officer as may be empowered in this behalf by the Provincial Government to any owner of a controlled forest or a vested forest who in the opinion of the Appellate Committee is likely to suffer unduly owing to any temporary reduction of his income resulting from any action taken under section 3 or sub section (*2*) of section 5 or section 6

(*2*) An application for such a loan shall be made in the prescribed manner to the Appellate Committee and shall state the following particulars, namely

(*a*) the amount of the loan required

(*b*) the reasons for which it is necessary, and

(*c*) the period for which it is required

(*3*) After considering in the prescribed manner the application made under sub section (*2*) and any evidence that may be produced in support thereof, the Appellate Committee shall state in writing its opinion whether or not a loan should be given, and if it recommends the grant of a loan, shall forward the application to the officer empowered under sub-section (*1*) with its opinion stating the reasons for such recommendation and specifying the following particulars namely

(*a*) the amount of the loan that should be granted and the rate of the interest that should be charged,

(*b*) the instalments in which the loan should be advanced, and

(*c*) the period after which and the instalments in which the loan should be repaid

(*4*) Subject to rules made under this Act all loans granted under sub section (*1*), all interests (if any) chargeable thereon and costs (if any) incurred in making the same shall when they become due be recoverable by the Collector either—

(*a*) from the borrower—as if they were arrears of land-revenue due by him, or

(*b*) out of the controlled forest or the vested forest of which the borrower was the owner at the time the loan was granted as if they were arrears of land-revenue due in respect of such forest

Provided that no proceeding in respect of any such forest under clause (*b*) shall affect any interest in that forest which existed before the date of the order granting the loan other than the interest of the borrower and of mortgagees of, or persons having charges on, that interest.

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(Clauses 8, 9)

Amalgamation of two or more vested forests under one working plan

8. *(1)* If a Regional Forest-officer is of the opinion that it is impossible otherwise to secure the conservation of two or more forests, belonging to different owners, of which the control has been vested in him by a notification under sub-section *(2)* of section 5 or under section 6, he may record an order that such forests shall be managed under one working plan as if they all belonged to one owner, and shall cause a copy of such order to be served in the prescribed manner on the owner of each such forest.

(2) The Regional Forest-officer may at any time by order in writing rescind or modify an order passed by him under sub-section *(1)* and a copy of every order passed under this sub-section shall be served in the prescribed manner on the owner of each such forest.

(3) Any owner or other person interested in any such forests may, within thirty days from the date on which the copy of any order passed under sub-section *(1)* or sub-section (2) is served on him, appeal against such order to the Appellate Committee and the decision of the Appellate Committee on such appeal shall be final.

Afforestation of land adjoining a forest

9. *(1)* The Provincial Government may, if it is satisfied on application made by the owner of a controlled forest or by the Regional Forest-officer in whom the control of a private forest is vested under this Act that any land adjoining such forest has not been cultivated during the three years immediately preceding the year in which such application is made and that such land is suitable for afforestation, by notification announce its intention to declare such land to be liable to be made over to the owner of such controlled forest or vested forest, as the case may be.

(2) Every notification issued under sub-section *(1)* shall specify a period within which objections to the proposed declaration may be submitted by any person interested in such land to the Appellate Committee and a copy of every such notification shall be served in the prescribed manner on the person entitled to cultivate such land.

(3) After the expiry of the period so specified in a notification issued under sub-section *(1)*, the Appellate Committee shall hear the objections (if any) submitted by the person entitled to cultivate such land or any other person interested in such land and any evidence which any such person may produce in support of the same and forward the objections so submitted and its opinion thereon to the Provincial Government.

(4) If after considering the objections and the opinion of the Appellate Committee forwarded under sub-section (3) the Provincial Government is of opinion that such land should be declared to be liable to be made over to the owner of the controlled or vested forest referred to in sub-section *(1)* the Provincial Government shall issue a notification,—

(a) declaring such land to be liable to be made over to the owner of such forest to be specified in the notification,

(b) specifying as nearly as possible the situation and limits of such land, and

(c) appointing a Forest Settlement-officer to determine, subject to any rules made under this Act, by an order in writing—

(i) what rights in or over such land shall be extinguished, and

(ii) what rent, if any, shall be payable by the owner of such forest to any landlord of such land.

(5) When a notification has been issued under sub-section *(4)*, there shall be paid compensation to every person whose rights as specified by the Forest Settlement-officer under sub-clause (i) of clause (c) of sub-section *(4)* will be extinguished and the amount of such compensation shall be determined subject to any rules made under this Act, in the manner and in accordance with the principles hereinafter set out, that is to say—

(i) when the amount of compensation can be fixed by the Forest Settlement-officer appointed under clause *(c)* of sub-section *(4)* by agreement, it shall be paid in accordance with such agreement;

(ii) where no such agreement can be reached, the Provincial Government shall appoint as arbitrator a person who has exercised the powers of a District Judge in Bengal or who possesses such qualifications as are normally required for appointment to the post of District Judge in Bengal;

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(Clause 10.)

(*iii*) at the commencement of the proceedings before the arbitrator the owner of the forest or the Regional Forest-officer by whom the compensation is payable and the person to be compensated shall state what in their respective opinions is a fair amount of compensation,

(*iv*) the arbitrator in making his award shall have regard to the provisions of sub-section (*1*) of section 23 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, so far as the same can be made applicable, I of 1894.

(*v*) an appeal shall lie to the High Court against an award of an arbitrator except in cases where the amount thereof does not exceed an amount prescribed in this behalf,

(*vi*) save as provided in this sub-section and in any rules made under this Act, nothing in any law for the time being in force shall apply to arbitrations under this sub-section

(*6*) The amount of compensation determined under sub-section (*5*) shall be paid in the prescribed manner in the case where the notification under sub section (*1*) was issued on the application of the owner of a controlled forest by such owner and in the case where such notification was issued on the application of a Regional Forest-officer by such officer out of the profits of the vested forest adjoining such land to the person entitled to such compensation and on payment of such compensation the land shall be made over by the Forest Settlement-officer appointed under clause (*c*) of sub section (*1*) to the owner of the controlled or vested forest specified in the notification issued under that sub-section and shall thereupon vest in such owner and all rights in or over such land specified by the said officer under sub-clause (*i*) of the said clause shall with effect from the date on which such land is so made over be extinguished

(*7*) When a land is made over under sub section (*6*) to the owner of a forest, it shall with effect from the date on which it is so made over be deemed to be a private forest

(*8*) When any such land is made over under sub-section (*6*) to the owner of a vested forest which adjoins such land, the control of such land shall be vested in the Regional Forest-officer in whom the control of such forest is for the time being vested and the land shall, for the purposes of this Act, be deemed to be a vested forest

(*9*) When any such land is made over under sub-section (*6*) to the owner of a controlled forest which adjoins such land, the Regional Forest officer may, by an order in writing, a copy of which shall be served on such owner in the prescribed manner, either direct that the approved working plan in respect of such controlled forest shall be deemed to be the working plan approved for such land under sub-section (*5*) of section 3 or require such owner to prepare in the prescribed manner and submit within the period to be mentioned in such order to such officer a working plan in respect of such land

(*10*) Where the owner of a controlled forest is required under sub section (*9*) to prepare and submit a working plan in respect of the land made over to him under sub-section (*6*), the provisions of sub sections (*2*) to (*7*) of section 3 shall apply to the approval of a working plan in respect of such land and to the working plan approved under that section

Afforestation of other land

10. (*1*) If it appears from the report of a Regional Forest-officer that any waste-land which is lying uncultivated for not less than ten years is suitable for afforestation and that the owner of such land is unwilling or unable to cultivate it by growing therein either agricultural crops or grass to the satisfaction of such officer or to afforest it, the Provincial Government may by a notification direct that the control of such land shall be vested in a Regional Forest officer to be specified in the notification for the purpose of afforestation for such period as may be stated in the notification

Provided that no such notification shall be published until a notice has been issued by such Regional Forest-officer calling upon the owner of such land and any other person interested therein to show cause before the Appellate Committee within such period as may be specified in the notice why the notification should not be published and until the cause, if any, shown and any evidence that may have been produced in support of the same before the Appellate Committee and the opinion of the Appellate Committee thereon have been considered by the Provincial Government.

(*2*) Any land in respect of which a notification has been published under sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to be a vested forest for the purposes of this Act

(*3*) When all expenses incurred by the Provincial Government for the afforestation of any such land have been recouped, the profits resulting from such afforestation shall, during the period the control of such land remains vested in a Regional Forest officer, be divided between the Provincial Government and the owner of the land in such manner as may be prescribed

Apportionment of rents of forests held under a lease jointly with other lands and the division of the tenure or holding comprising a forest

11. (*1*) Notwithstanding anything contained in any other law for the time being in force, where a private forest or any waste-land is on the date of publication of a notification vesting the control thereof in a Regional Forest-officer under sub-section (*2*) of section 5 or under section 6 or under section 10, as the case may be,—

(*a*) held under a lease granted by the owner of such forest or land before the date of publication of such notification, and such lease comprises not only the areas included in such forest or land but also other areas, or

(*b*) held by the owner of such forest as part of a tenure or holding jointly with other lands

the Collector of the district may, on application made in this behalf by such Regional Forest-officer,—

(*i*) in the case referred to in clause (*a*), by an order in writing, apportion subject to rules made under this Act the rent payable under the lease between the areas included within the vested forest and other areas comprised within the lease on the basis of their respective assets, and

(*ii*) in the case referred to in clause (*b*) by an order in writing direct the division of such tenure or holding in such manner that a separate tenure or holding is formed with the lands included within the vested forest and also direct such distribution of the rent payable in respect of such tenure or holding between the two separate tenures or holdings so formed as he deems fair and equitable

Provided that no order shall be passed under this sub-section without giving, in the case of an order passed under clause (*i*) the lessor and the lessee of such forest or land and in the case of an order passed under clause (*ii*) the owner of such forest or land and the landlord or the entire body of landlords or their common agent (if any) of the tenure or holding a reasonable opportunity of being heard

(*2*) An appeal shall lie from every order passed under sub-section (*1*) to the Commissioner of the Division if it is presented within thirty days from the date of such order and the decision of the Commissioner on such appeal shall be final and shall not be questioned in any Court

Explanation In this section, "lease," "lessor" and "lessee" have the same meanings as in the Transfer of Property Act 1882, and "tenure" and "holding" have the same meanings as in the Bengal Tenancy Act, 1885

IV of 1882

VIII of 1885

Rent to be a charge on the leasehold interest in a vested forest

12. Where a private forest or waste land of which the control has been vested in a Regional Forest officer by a notification under sub-section (*2*) of section 5 or under section 6 or under section 10 is on the date of publication of such notification held either exclusively or jointly with other property under a lease granted by the owner of such forest or land before such date, the rent payable under the lease or under an order of apportionment made under clause (*i*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 11 in respect of such forest or land during the period such forest or land remains so vested in the Regional Forest-officer shall, subject to the prior payment of the land revenue, if any, due to the Government thereupon be a first charge upon the leasehold interest in such forest created by such lease

Power to order a vested forest to be formed into a separate estate

13. If the Provincial Government thinks it expedient it may direct the Collector to partition off such part of an estate within which a vested forest is comprised into a separate estate, and the demand of land-revenue and of the cesses for which the original estate was liable shall on such partition be assessed upon and divided between the two separate estates so formed respectively in such manner as the Provincial Government may direct

Power to exempt an estate of which a vested forest forms part from sale for arrears of revenue.

14. The Provincial Government may, if it so considers expedient, by a notification, exempt any estate, and subject to the provisions of section 14 of the Bengal Land-revenue Sales Act, 1859, every share or part of an estate for which a separate account has been opened under section 10 or section 11 of the said Act or under section 70 of the Land Registration Act, 1876, of which a vested forest forms part from sale for arrears of Government revenue accruing during the period the control of such forest remains

XI of 1859

Ben Act VII of 1876.

vested in a Regional Forest-officer under sub-section (*2*) of section 5 or under section 6 or under section 10 or during such part of such period as may be specified in such notification

Provided that where any such estate, share or part is so exempted all such arrears of revenue shall be the first charge upon the sale-proceeds of such estate, share or part which may be sold otherwise than for such arrears of revenue

Determination of cost of management of vested forest and distribution of net profit

15. (*1*) The cost of any extra staff required for the management of a vested forest in each year shall be determined in the prescribed manner by the Regional Forest officer and shall be recovered by him in that year or in subsequent years from the sale of the forest-produce of such forest

(*2*) The cost of the operations of any Forest Settlement-officer and such part of the cost of a Regional Forest-officer and of his staff as is proportionate to the work done by them in connection with the management of a vested forest shall be included in the cost of management

(*3*) Any amount due in respect of a loan made under section 7 to the owner of a vested forest shall be included in the cost of management of such forest

(*4*) Any amount paid as compensation by the Regional Forest-officer under sub-section (*6*) of section 9 or sub section (*2*) of section 24 out of the profits of a vested forest shall be included in the cost of management of such forest

(*5*) Until otherwise determined by a competent Court, the respective shares of the owners of a vested forest shall be determined by a Forest Settlement officer in the prescribed manner and thereafter, the net profits in respect of such forest which shall be determined in the prescribed manner, shall be distributed among the various owners thereof in proportion to their respective shares so determined

(*6*) In each year the Regional Forest officer shall record in a statement the amount of the cost of management with which each vested forest shall be charged and any amount which shall be paid in respect of the net profit determined under sub section (*5*) and shall cause a copy of such statement to be served in the prescribed manner on the owner of such forest

Imposition of cess

16. (*1*) The Provincial Government may impose on an acreage basis in the prescribed manner a cess on all private forests within a notified area with effect from such date not being earlier than the date of expiry of ten years from the date of publication of a notification under section 3

(*2*) Such cess shall be so calculated as to yield a sum not greater than a sum sufficient to meet the cost of the Regional Forest officer and of his staff including the cost incurred in connection with their work to be determined in the prescribed manner

(*3*) If the Regional Forest officer or his staff does any work in connection with a Government forest a proportionate deduction shall be made from the cost of such Regional Forest-officer and of his staff before the cess is calculated under sub section (*2*)

(*4*) Every cess imposed under sub-section (*1*) shall be recoverable as a public demand under the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act 1913

Ben Act III of 1913

(*5*) The Provincial Government may, by general or special order, exempt any private forest in a notified area from the payment of any cess imposed under sub section (*1*) or of any portion of such cess for such period as may be specified in such order

Release of vested forest to the owner

17. (*1*) If the owner of a vested forest satisfies the Appellate Committee-

(*a*) at any time after the expiry of fifteen years from the date of the notification by which the control of such forest has been vested in a Regional Forest-officer, that—

(*i*) the control of such forest may be restored to him without undue risk of detriment to its conservation, and

(*ii*) the cost of its management as determined under the provisions of sub section (*1*) of section 15 has been recovered in full, or

(*b*) at any time after the expiry of thirty years from the date of such notification, that the cost of management of such forest as determined under the provisions of that sub section has been recovered,

the Appellate Committee shall pass an order that with effect from a date, to be specified in such order, the control of such forest shall cease to be vested in the Regional Forest-officer·

Provided that no such order shall be made in the case of any forest, whether any working plan in respect of such forest has been previously approved under section 3 or not, until—

(*a*) the Appellate Committee has by an order called upon the owner of such forest to prepare in the prescribed manner and to submit within such period as may be specified in such order to the Regional Forest-officer a working plan in respect of such forest, and

(*b*) a working plan has been approved in respect of such forest in accordance with the provisions referred to in sub-section (*2*)

Provided further that no such order shall be passed regarding a forest in respect of which there subsists an order passed under sub-section (*1*) of section 8, unless the owners of all the forests, in respect of which the order under the said sub-section was passed, have satisfied the Appellate Committee that there will be no undue risk of detriment to the conservation of any of such forests, if the control of the said forest ceases to be vested in the Regional Forest officer

(*2*) When the owner of a forest has been required under the first proviso to sub-section (*1*) to prepare and submit a working plan in respect of such forest, the provisions of sub-sections (*2*) to (*7*) of section 3 shall apply to the approval of a working plan in respect thereof and to the working plan approved under that section

(*3*) The fact that the control of any forest has ceased to be vested in a Regional Forest officer shall not operate to revive any right which may have been extinguished or modified by a proclamation under section 27

CHAPTER III

RIGHTS IN FORESTS

Control and demarcation of vested forest

18. When a notification has been published in respect of any forest under sub-section (*2*) of section 5 or under section 6 or under section 10, the control of such forest shall be vested in the Regional Forest officer who shall forthwith proceed to demarcate it

Appointment of Forest Settlement officer

19. (*1*) A Forest Settlement-officer shall be appointed by the Provincial Government in respect of every forest of which the control is vested in a Regional Forest officer by a notification under sub-section (*2*) of section 5 or under section 6 or under section 10 and may be appointed in respect of any controlled forest on the application made in this behalf to the Provincial Government by its owner

(*2*) Such appointment shall be made by a notification specifying in such notification as nearly as may be possible the situation and limits of such forest

Bar of accrual of rights

20. After the issue of a notification under section 19 no right shall be acquired in or over the land comprised in such notification except by succession or under grant or contract in writing made or entered into, with the previous sanction of the Provincial Government, by or on behalf of the owner or some person in whom such right was vested when the notification was issued, and no fresh clearings for cultivation or for any other purpose and cutting, conversion or removal of timber or the collection, manufacture or removal of other forest-produce, shall be made in such land except in accordance with such rules, if any, as may be made by the Provincial Government in this behalf

Proclamation by Forest Settlement officer

21. (*1*) The Forest Settlement officer shall publish in Bengali in the neighbourhood of the forest in respect of which he has been appointed, a proclamation—

(*a*) specifying, as nearly as possible, the situation and limits of such forest,

(*b*) explaining the measures proposed for, and the consequences which will ensue on, the conservation of such forest, and

(*c*) requiring every person who claims any right, other than a right of ownership, over such forest or over any forest-produce from such forest, to give to such Forest Settlement-officer, within a period of not less than three months to be stated in the proclamation, particulars either in writing or by word of mouth, of such right and the amount and nature of the compensation, if any, claimed in respect thereof.

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(*2*) The Forest Settlement-officer shall take down in writing all statements made by word of mouth under clause (*c*) of sub-section (*1*)

Inquiry by Forest Settlement-officer

22. (*1*) The Forest Settlement-officer shall at some convenient place inquire into the existence of any rights which are claimed under clause (*c*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 21 or which may be ascertained by him from any other source

(*2*) The Forest Settlement-officer shall give a hearing to the Regional Forest-officer or an officer authorised by such Regional Forest officer in writing, in this behalf, to satisfy himself as to the necessity of modifying or extinguishing any right in the interests of the conservation of the forest

Powers of Forest Settlement-officer

23. For the purpose of such inquiry, the Forest Settlement-officer may exercise the following powers, that is to say —

(*a*) power to enter, by himself or any officer authorised by him for the purpose, upon any land, and to survey, demarcate and make a map of the same , and

(*b*) the powers of a Civil Court in the trial of suits

Specification and modification of rights

24 (*1*) After completion of the inquiry under section 22, the Forest Settlement-officer shall, by an order in writing,—

(*a*) record the nature of the rights existing at the time of the notification under section 19 , and

(*b*) direct the modification or extinction of any such right other than a right of ownership, in the interests of the conservation of the forest

(*2*) When the Forest Settlement-officer directs under clause (*b*) of sub-section (*1*) the modification or extinction of any right, he shall, unless the person whose rights are affected has come to an agreement as to the amount of compensation payable to him determine what compensation shall be awarded to such person and the amount of any compensation determined under this sub-section to be payable to any such person shall be paid in the prescribed manner by the Regional Forest-officer in whom the control of the forest to which such right relates is vested under this Act out of the profits of such forest

Appeals

25 (*1*) An appeal may be presented against any order under section 24 within ninety days from the date of such order to the Commissioner of the Division by an owner of a forest or by a Regional Forest officer or by any person who has given particulars of his claims under sub section (*1*) of section 21

(*2*) Every such appeal shall be made by a petition in writing and shall be heard in accordance with the procedure for the time being applicable to the hearing of appeals in matters relating to land revenue

(*3*) The order of the Commissioner on such appeal shall be final

Pleaders.

26 The Provincial Government or any person who has made a claim under this Act, may appoint any person to appear, plead and act on its or his behalf before the Forest Settlement-officer or any appellate authority in the course of any inquiry or appeal under this Act or before any arbitrator appointed to determine any compensation payable under sub section (5) of section 9

Extinction of rights.

27. (*1*) When the time within which appeals against orders under section 24 may be made has expired and when all appeals under section 25 have been disposed of, the Forest Settlement-officer shall issue a proclamation specifying the rights which may be exercised in respect of such forest and also specifying the date with effect from which all rights in connection with such forest which are not specified in such proclamation shall be extinguished

(*2*) A Bengali translation of such proclamation shall be published in the neighbourhood of such forest before the date so specified in such proclamation

(*3*) With effect from the date so specified in such proclamation all rights in connection with such forest not specified in such proclamation shall be extinguished

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CHAPTER IV

PENALTIES AND PROCEDURE

Penalties for breach of rules

28. (*1*) Any person who—

(*a*) fells, girdles, lops, taps, or burns any tree in a private forest or strips off the bark or leaves from or otherwise damages, any such tree,

(*b*) quarries any stone, or burns any lime or charcoal, or collects, subjects to any manufacturing process, or removes any forest produce from a private forest,

(*c*) breaks up or clears for cultivation or any other purpose any land in a private forest,

(*d*) sets fire to a private forest, or kindles a fire without taking all reasonable precautions to prevent its spreading to any portion of such forest, or

(*e*) permits cattle to damage any tree in a private forest,

shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both

(*2*) Any person contravening any rule under this Act, for the contravention of which no special penalty is provided, shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees or with both

Imposition of collective fine on the inhabitants in certain cases

29 (*1*) If it is proved to the satisfaction of the District Magistrate that in any vested forest—

(*a*) any cattle have been permitted to trespass,

(*b*) any trees have been felled, girdled, lopped, tapped, burnt or otherwise damaged,

(*c*) any other forest-produce has been burnt or removed, or

(*d*) any land has been broken up for any purpose,

otherwise than in the exercise of any right in or over such forest with intent to cause detriment to the conservation of such forest and if the District Magistrate is satisfied that the inhabitants of any local area are concerned in the commission of any such offences or are in any way assisting persons in committing such offences, the District Magistrate may, by order in writing, impose on the inhabitants of such area a collective fine which may extend to five hundred rupees or three times the value estimated by him of any forest-produce damaged, whichever is greater, and may, after such further inquiry, as he deems necessary, apportion such fine amongst the inhabitants who are liable to pay it and such apportionment shall be made according to the respective means of such inhabitants

(*2*) Every order imposing a collective fine under sub section (*1*) shall be forthwith published in the local area in such manner as the District Magistrate considers best calculated to bring the order to the notice of the inhabitants of the area concerned

(*3*) The District Magistrate may exempt any person or class or section of such inhabitants from liability to pay any portion of such fine

(*4*) The portion of such fine payable by any person may be recovered from him as a fine or as a public demand under the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913

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(*5*) Every apportionment of collective fine made under sub section (*1*) shall be subject to revision by the Commissioner of the Division on application made in that behalf to him by any person affected by such apportionment within thirty days from the date on which such apportionment is made and the decision of the Commissioner thereon shall be final

Nothing in section 28 to prohibit acts done in certain cases

30. No act shall be an offence for the purposes of section 28 if it is done—

(*a*) in the exercise of any right in or over such forest, or

(*b*) in respect of a vested forest, with the permission in writing of a Forest-officer, or

(*c*) in respect of a controlled forest, with the permission in writing of the owner thereof or of his agent, or

(*d*) in accordance with rules made under this Act

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Seizure of property liable to confiscation

31. (*1*) When there is reason to believe that a forest-offence has been committed in respect of any forest produce, such produce together with all tools, boats, carts or cattle used in committing any such offence, may be seized by any Forest-officer or Police-officer

(*2*) Every officer seizing any property under this section shall place on such property a mark indicating that the same has been so seized, and shall, as soon as may be, make a report of such seizure to the Magistrate having jurisdiction to try the offence on account of which the seizure has been made

Provided that, when the offender is unknown, it shall be sufficient if the officer makes, as soon as may be, a report of the circumstances to his official superior

Power to release property seized under section 31

32. Any Forest-officer of a rank not inferior to that of a Ranger, or any Police officer of a rank not inferior to that of a Sub Inspector, who, or whose subordinate, has seized any tools, boats, carts or cattle under section 31, may release the same on the execution by the owner thereof of a bond for the production of the property so released, if and when so required, before the Magistrate having jurisdiction to try the offence on account of which the seizure has been made

Information to the Magistrate and procedure thereupon

33 The Regional Forest officer may cause information to be given to a Magistrate regarding any forest-offence which he has reason to believe to have been committed in respect of any forest produce, and upon receipt of any such information, the Magistrate shall, with all convenient despatch take such measures as may be necessary for the arrest and trial of the offender and the disposal of the property according to law

Notice to claimants of seized forest produce

34. (*1*) If a Regional Forest-officer has not caused information to be given to a Magistrate under section 33 in respect of any forest produce seized under sub section (*1*) of section 31, he shall, if there is any doubt as to the person who is entitled to such produce, cause a notice to be published in such manner as may be prescribed containing a description of such produce and requiring any person who may claim the same to present a written statement of his claim to him within such period as may be specified in such notice

(*2*) If only one such statement of claim is presented in respect of any such forest-produce, the Regional Forest-officer shall, after making such inquiry as he thinks fit and recording his reasons in writing, either reject the claim or deliver the produce to the claimant

(*3*) If more than one such statement of claim is presented, the Regional Forest officer may, after making such inquiry as he thinks fit and recording his reasons in writing, either deliver the forest produce to any of such persons whom he considers to be entitled thereto or refer the claimants to the Civil Court and retain such produce pending receipt of an order from the Civil Court for its disposal

(*4*) Any person whose claim has been rejected under this section may, within three months from the date of rejection of such claim, institute a suit to recover possession of the forest produce claimed by him, but no person shall be entitled to recover any compensation or costs against the Provincial Government, or against any Forest officer, on account of rejection of such claim, or on account of the detention or removal of any forest-produce, or the delivery thereof to any other person under this section

(*5*) No such forest produce shall be subject to any process of any Civil, Criminal or Revenue Court until it has been delivered, or a suit has been instituted as provided in this section

Disposal of unclaimed forest produce

35. If no statement of claim is presented in respect of any such forest-produce after a notice has been published under sub-section (*1*) of section 34 or if a person whose claim has been rejected under that section omits to institute a suit under sub-section (*4*) thereof, the ownership of such forest-produce shall vest in the Provincial Government free from all encumbrances, or, when such forest-produce has been delivered to any person under sub-section (*3*) of that section, in such person free from all encumbrances not created by such person

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Disposal of seized property after information has been given under section 33

36. (*1*) Any forest-produce in respect of which a forest-offence has been committed and an information has been given to a Magistrate under section 33 shall, on the conclusion of the trial for such offence, be made over to the owner of the forest from which it was derived or to any other person whom the Magistrate deems to be entitled to the same

Provided that, if it is not known from which forest such produce was derived, such forest-produce and all tools, boats, carts and cattle used in committing such forest-offence shall be liable to confiscation

(*2*) Such confiscation may be in addition to any other punishment which may be awarded under this Act for such offence

Disposal of confiscated property on conclusion of trial

37. When the trial of any forest-offence is concluded any forest-produce in respect of which such offence has been committed shall, if it has been confiscated, be taken charge of by a Forest-officer

Procedure when offender cannot be found

38. When the offender cannot be found, the Magistrate may, if he finds that an offence has been committed, order the property in respect of which the offence has been committed to be confiscated and taken charge of by the Regional Forest-officer, or to be made over to the person whom the Magistrate deems to be entitled to the same

Provided that no such order shall be made until the expiry of one month from the date of seizing such property, or without hearing the person if any, claiming any right thereto, and the evidence, if any, which he may produce in support of his claim

Procedure as to perishable property seized under section 31

39. The Magistrate may, notwithstanding anything herein before contained, direct the sale of any property seized under section 31 and subject to speedy and natural decay, and may deal with the proceeds as he would have dealt with such property if it had not been sold

Appeal from orders under section 36, or section 38

40. The officer who made the seizure under section 31 or any of his official superiors, or any person claiming to be interested in the property so seized, may, within one month from the date of any order passed by the Magistrate under section 36 or section 38, appeal therefrom to the Court to which orders made by such Magistrate are ordinarily appealable, and the order passed on such appeal shall be final

Property when to vest in Government

41. When an order for the confiscation of any property has been passed under section 36 or section 38, as the case may be, and the period limited by section 40 for an appeal from such order has expired and no such appeal has been preferred, or when, on such an appeal being preferred, the Appellate Court confirms such order in respect of the whole or a portion of such property such property or such portion thereof, as the case may be shall vest in the Provincial Government free from all encumbrances

Saving of power to release property seized

42. Nothing hereinbefore contained shall be deemed to prevent any officer empowered in this behalf by the Provincial Government from directing at any time the immediate release of any property seized under section 31

Punishment for wrongful seizure

43 Any Forest officer or Police-officer who vexatiously and unnecessarily seizes any property on pretence of seizing property liable to confiscation under this Act shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to six months or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees or with both

Penalty for counterfeiting or defacing marks on trees and timber and for altering boundary marks.

44. Whoever, with intent to cause damage or injury to the public or to any person, or to cause wrongful gain as defined in the Indian Penal Code— Act XLV of 1860

(*a*) knowingly counterfeits upon any timber or standing tree in a private forest a mark used by Forest-officers to indicate that such timber or tree is the property of the Government or of some person or that it may lawfully be cut or removed by some person, or

(*b*) alters defaces or obliterates any such mark placed on a tree or on timber in a private forest by or under the authority of a Forest-officer, or

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(c) alters, moves, destroys or defaces any boundary mark of any forest or waste-land to which the provisions of this Act apply or are applied,

shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years, or with fine, or with both

Power to arrest without warrant

45. (*1*) Any Forest-officer or Police-officer may, without orders from a Magistrate and without a warrant, arrest any person against whom a reasonable suspicion exists of his having been concerned in any forest-offence punishable with imprisonment for one month or upwards under this Act

(*2*) Every officer making an arrest under this section shall, without unnecessary delay and subject to the provisions of this Act as to release on bond, take or send the person arrested before the Magistrate having jurisdiction in the case or to the officer-in-charge of the nearest police station

Power to release on a bond a person arrested

46. Any Forest-officer of a rank not inferior to that of a Ranger, who, or whose subordinate, has arrested any person under the provisions of section 45, may release such person on his executing a bond to appear, if and when so required, before the Magistrate having jurisdiction in the case or before the officer-in-charge of the nearest police-station

Power to prevent commission of offence

47. Every Forest-officer and Police-officer shall prevent, and may interfere for the purpose of preventing, the commission of any forest offence

Power to try offences summarily

48 The District Magistrate or any Magistrate of the first class specially empowered in this behalf by the Provincial Government may try summarily, under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, any forest offence punishable with imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months, or with fine not exceeding five hundred rupees, or with both

Act V of 1898.

Power of Court to order payment of rewards out of fine

49. Whenever a Court imposes a fine under this Act or confirms in appeal under this Act a sentence of fine or a sentence of which fine forms a part, for a forest-offence other than an offence specified in sub section (*1*) of section 5 or section 43, the Court may, when passing judgment, order any portion of the fine recovered to be paid to the person whose information led to the detection of the offence

Power to compound offences

50. (*1*) The Provincial Government may, by notification, empower a Forest-officer -

(*a*) to accept from any person against whom a reasonable suspicion exists that he has committed any forest-offence, other than an offence specified in sub-section (*1*) of section 5, section 43 or section 44, a sum of money, not exceeding fifty rupees, by way of compensation for the offence which such person is suspected to have committed, and

(*b*) when any property of such person has been seized, to release the same

(*2*) On the payment of such sum of money to such officer, the suspected person, if in custody, shall be discharged, the property, if any, of such person seized shall be released, and no further proceedings shall be taken against such person or property

(*3*) A Forest officer shall not be empowered under this section unless he is a Forest-officer of a rank not inferior to that of a Ranger and is in receipt of a monthly salary amounting to at least one hundred rupees

Onus of proof

51. Notwithstanding anything contained in any other Act, when in any area in respect of which the Provincial Government has made rules under clause (*b*) of sub section (2) of section 41 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927, any person is found to be moving forest-produce without a pass from an officer duly authorised to issue the same, the burden of proof that such person has not committed an offence under this Act in respect of such forest-produce shall lie on him

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CHAPTER V

REGIONAL FOREST-OFFICERS

Provincial Government may invest Regional Forest-officers with certain powers.

52. (*1*) The Provincial Government may invest any Regional Forest-officer with all or any of the following powers, that is to say:—

(*a*) power to enter upon any land, or to authorise any officer to enter thereon with servants and workmen, and to survey, demarcate and make a map of the same;

(*b*) the powers of a Civil Court to compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of documents and material objects;

(*c*) power to issue a search-warrant under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898; and

Act V of 1898.

(*d*) power to hold an inquiry into forest-offences, and, in the course of such inquiry, to receive and record evidence.

(*2*) Any evidence recorded under clause (*d*) of sub-section (*1*) shall be admissible in any subsequent trial before a Magistrate, provided that it has been taken in the presence of the accused person.

Power of officers.

53. It shall be lawful for any officer authorised in this behalf either generally or specially by the Regional Forest-officer with his subordinates and servants and workmen at any time to enter upon any part of a controlled forest for the purpose of ascertaining whether there has been any violation of an approved working plan and to do any other acts which are in his opinion necessary for carrying out that purpose.

Forest officers deemed public servants.

54. All Forest officers shall be deemed to be public servants within the meaning of section 21 of the Indian Penal Code.

Act XLV of 1860.

Indemnity for acts done in good faith.

55. No suit shall lie against any public servant for anything done by him in good faith under this Act.

CHAPTER VI

RULES

Power to make rules.

56. (*1*) The Provincial Government may make rules for carrying out the purposes of this Act.

(*2*) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power the Provincial Government may make rules to provide for all or any of the following matters, namely:—

(*a*) the cutting, sawing, conversion and removal of trees and timber, and the collection, manufacture and removal of forest-produce from private forests in notified areas;

(*b*) the granting of licences to the inhabitants of towns and villages in the vicinity of vested forests to take trees, timber or other forest-produce for their own use, and the production and return of such licences by such persons;

(*c*) the granting of licences to persons for felling or removing trees or timber or other forest-produce from vested forests for the purposes of trade and the production and return of such licences by such persons;

(*d*) the payments, if any, to be made by the persons mentioned in clauses (*b*) and (*c*) for permission to cut such trees, or to collect and remove such timber or other forest-produce;

(*e*) the other payments, if any to be made by them in respect of such trees, timber and produce, and the places where such payment shall be made;

(*f*) the examination of forest-produce passing out of private forests in notified areas;

(*g*) the clearing and breaking up of land for cultivation or other purposes in private forests in notified areas;

(*h*) the protection from fire of timber lying in private forests in notified areas;

(*i*) the cutting of grass and pasturing of cattle in private forests in notified areas;

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(*j*) hunting, shooting, fishing, poisoning water and setting traps or snares in vested forests, and the killing or catching of elephants in such forests in areas in which the Elephants' Preservation Act, 1879, is not in force, VI of 1879

(*k*) the powers and duties of Forest-officers under this Act,

(*l*) the manner in which an owner of a private forest shall be selected as a member of the Appellate Committee referred to in clause (*1*) of section 2,

(*m*) the manner in which the working plan referred to in sub section (*1*) of section 3 shall be prepared, the copy of the order referred to in sub section (*4*) of that section shall be served and the approved working plan shall be sent under sub-section (*6*) of that section,

(*n*) the grant of loans referred to in sub section (*1*) of section 7, the manner of making applications for such loans under sub-section (*2*) of that section, the manner in which such applications shall be considered and the recovery of such loans and the interests and costs in respect thereof under sub section (*4*) of that section,

(*o*) the manner in which copies of the orders passed under sub sections (*1*) and (*2*) of section 8 shall be served,

(*p*) the manner in which the copy of a notification issued under sub-section (*1*) of section 9 shall be served under sub section (*2*) of that section, the determination by the Forest Settlement officer of the matters specified in clause (*c*) of sub section (*1*) of that section, the determination of compensation payable under sub section (*5*) of that section, the maximum amount of an award against which no appeal shall lie under clause (*v*) of that sub section, the manner of payment of compensation under sub section (*6*) of that section, the manner of service of a copy of the order under sub-section (*9*) of that section and the manner in which the working plan referred to in that sub-section shall be prepared,

(*q*) the manner in which the profits referred to in sub section (*3*) of section 10 shall be divided under that sub section,

(*r*) the apportionment of rent referred to in clause (*i*) of sub-section (*1*) of section 11

(*s*) the manner in which the cost of management referred to in sub section (*1*) of section 15 and the respective shares of the owners of a vested forest and the net profits in respect of such forest referred to in sub section (*5*) of that section shall be determined and the copy of the statement referred to in sub section (*6*) of that section shall be served

(*t*) the manner in which the cess referred to in sub-section (*1*) of section 16 may be imposed and the costs referred to in sub section (*2*) of that section shall be determined,

(*u*) the manner in which the working plan referred to in clause (*a*) of the first proviso to sub-section (*1*) of section 17 shall be prepared,

(*v*) the clearing of land for cultivation or for any other purpose and the cutting, conversion and the removal of timber and the collection, manufacture and removal of other forest-produce referred to in section 20,

(*w*) the manner in which the compensation referred to in sub section (*2*) of section 24 shall be paid,

(*x*) the manner in which the notice referred to in sub-section (*1*) of section 34 shall be published,

(*y*) the manner in which the forest-produce referred to in sub section (*3*) of section 59 shall be sold, and

(*z*) the manner of service of notices issued under this Act

(*3*) In making any rule under this section the Provincial Government may provide that a contravention thereof shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one month, or with fine which may extend to five hundred rupees, or with both

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Application of rules made under sections 41 and 42 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927, to transit of forest-produce from private forests.

57. All rules made by the Provincial Government to regulate the transit of timber and other forest-produce under sections 41 and 42 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927, for the time being in force shall apply so far as may be to the transit of all timber and other forest-produce from any private forest to which any of the provisions of this Act apply.

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CHAPTER VII

MISCELLANEOUS

Conservation of forest or afforestation of land at the request of owners.

58. Notwithstanding anything elsewhere contained in this Act, the Provincial Government may, on application made in this behalf in writing by the owner of any private forest or of any waste-land referred to in sub-section (*1*) of section 10 or if there be more than one owner thereof by the owners of shares therein amounting in the aggregate to at least one-half thereof, to the Collector of the district in which such forest or land is situated, by a notification, apply the provisions of this Act, subject to such restrictions or conditions as may have been determined by an agreement between the said Collector and such person or persons, to such forest or land as if it were a vested forest

Recovery of money due to Regional Forest-officer and lien on forest-produce for such money

59. (*1*) All money payable to a Regional Forest-officer under this Act or under any rule made under this Act, other than money, payable in respect of the cost of management of a vested forest, and all money payable to such officer on account of the price of any forest-produce or on account of expenses incurred in the execution of this Act in respect of such produce shall, if not paid when due, be recoverable as a public demand under the Bengal Public Demands Recovery Act, 1913

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(*2*) When any such money is payable for or in respect of any forest produce, the amount thereof shall be deemed to be a first charge on such produce, and such produce may be taken possession of by a Regional Forest-officer until such amount has been paid

(*3*) If such amount is not paid when due, the Regional Forest-officer may sell such produce in the prescribed manner, and after payment of the costs of the sale the proceeds thereof shall be applied first in discharging such amount

(*4*) The surplus, if any, if not claimed within two months from the date of the sale by the person entitled thereto, shall be forfeited to His Majesty

Land required under this Act to be deemed to be needed for a public purpose under the Land Acquisition Act, 1894

60. Whenever it appears to the Provincial Government that any land is required for any of the purposes of this Act, such land shall be deemed to be needed for a public purpose within the meaning of section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894

I of 1894.

Powers of the Regional Forest-officer and control of the Provincial Government

61. Subject to the provisions of this Act and to any rules made thereunder every Regional Forest-officer

(*a*) may do all such things requisite for the proper management of the forest the control of which has been vested in him under this Act as the owner of such forest might do for its management, and

(*b*) shall in the exercise of his powers and in the performance of his duties in relation to such forest be guided by such orders and instructions as may, from time to time, be issued in this behalf by the Provincial Government.

Repeal and savings

62. (*1*) Sections 35, 36, 37 and 38 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927, in their application to Bengal are hereby repealed.

(*2*) Such repeal shall not affect anything done or suffered or any obligation or liability accrued or any penalty incurred or any proceedings commenced before the commencement of this Act.

(*3*) Any private forest or waste-land held under the control of a Forest-officer under section 36 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927, immediately before the commencement of this Act shall on such commencement notwithstanding the repeal of the said section continue to be so held under the control of a Regional Forest-officer under the provisions of this Act applicable to a vested forest and shall be deemed to be a vested forest for the purposes of this Act.

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(*4*) All lands which immediately before the commencement of this Act were being managed as a reserved or a protected forest under the provisions of section 38 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927, XVI of 1927 shall on such commencement notwithstanding the repeal of the said section continue to be managed under the provisions of section 58 of this Act as a vested forest and the application made under sub-section (*1*) of the said section 38 by the owner or owners of any such land shall be deemed to be an application made under the said section 58.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

Owing to the progressive denudation of forests in West Bengal by tenants and private owners, soil erosion has been going on on a considerable scale making large areas of land bare and unproductive The destruction of the forests has also been rendering West Bengal as a whole more liable to floods and drought Moreover, denudation of the forests has endangered the supply of timber and firewood for local consumption. In Resolution No 14670-For, dated the 25th July, 1938, a representative Committee consisting of officials and non-officials was appointed by Government to examine this alarming situation and to suggest remedial measures The area of the enquiry comprised the districts of Bankura, Birbhum, Burdwan and Midnapore The Committee submitted an illuminating report after elaborate investigation. Copy of this report has already been supplied to the members of the Legislative Assembly.

2. Government have given their most careful and anxious consideration to the findings of the Committee and have come to the conclusion that legislation on the lines recommended by the Committee is indispensable in order to protect the larger interests of the community and at the same time to confer permanent benefits on the private owners by providing for the conservation and improvement of their forests and afforestation of waste lands A brief indication of the principal features of the proposed legislation is given below

3. The central principle in the proposed legislation is that every owner of a private forest in a notified area will be required to follow a definite working plan as has been found to be essential for the scientific management of forests in all parts of the world A working plan means a written scheme of management for controlling the treatment of a forest

It is not practicable for each and every individual owner to employ on his own account the highly paid expert staff necessary to prepare and operate properly the working plan required for his forest and in such cases the Regional Forest-officers and their staff employed by Government will render expert services A Regional Forest-officer would be responsible for approving and modifying working plans and for preparing them in case of the owner's failure, an appeal lying to an Appellate Committee to settle disputes in respect thereof between the Regional Forest-officer and the owner The Appellate Committee will be composed of the Collector of the district as the Chairman and two other members, viz, a Forest-officer and an owner of a private forest, to be selected by Government.

Those forests which are managed well will be left to the management of the owners subject to the obligation of following the working plan approved by the Regional Forest-officer These will be termed 'controlled forests''.

The management of private forests will be taken over by Government and vested in a Regional Forest-officer in the following cases

(1) As a penalty for violating the working plan, subject to the recommendation of the Appellate Committee

(2) When Government are satisfied that the conservation of any forest in a notified area should not be left to the owner, that is, in the case of small owners who have not the means to manage their forests properly This also will be subject to the recommendation of the Appellate Committee

(3) If it appears from the report of a Regional Forest-officer that any waste land is suitable for afforestation and that the owner is unwilling or unable to cultivate it either with agricultural crops or with grass to the satisfaction of such officer or to afforest it, the Government may by a notification direct the control of such land to be vested in a Regional Forest-officer for the purpose of afforestation for a period to be stated in the notification. The owners of the lands in question will be heard by the Appellate Committee and the recommendations of the Committee will be considered by Government before issuing the notification for taking over the lands for afforestation

The forests of which management are taken over by Government will be termed vested forests'' Provision is made for the amalgamation of several "vested" forests under one working plan for economy in management

After the expiry of 15 years under Government management a vested forest may be restored to the owner on his satisfying the Appellate Committee that there will be no undue risk of detriment to its conservation In any case a vested forest will be handed back to the owner as a matter of course after 30 years.

Provision has been made for the grant of loans to any owner of a controlled forest or of a vested forest who in the opinion of the Appellate Committee is likely to suffer unduly owing to any temporary reduction of his income which may result from the adoption of a working plan

The cost of Regional staff for the first ten years will be borne by Government and afterwards a cess will be levied to cover it It has been estimated that if all the forests in Western Bengal paid cess, the incidence would be 1 to 1½ annas per acre per annum Exemption from the payment of cess will be made in deserving cases

The existing sections 35, 36, 37 and 38 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927, have been repealed and provisions similar to those contained in the existing section 38 have been included in the proposed Bill to enable Government to take over forests and waste lands at the request of the owners for their management as vested forests.

The 10th November, 1944. **PREMHARI BARMA,** *Member-in-charge.*

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No 1107L —29th November 1944.—The Governor having been pleased to order, under rule 47 of the Bengal Legislative Assembly Procedure Rules, the publication of the following Bill, together with the Statement of Objects and Reasons which accompanies it, in the *Calcutta Gazette*, the Bill and the Statement of Objects and Reasons are accordingly hereby published for general information.

THE BENGAL LEGISLATIVE CHAMBERS (MEMBERS' EMOLUMENTS) AMENDMENT BILL, 1944.

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to amend the Bengal Legislative Chambers (Members' Emoluments) Act, 1937.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Bengal Legislative Chambers (Members' Emoluments) Act, 1937, for the purposes and in the manner hereinafter appearing, **Ben Act II of 1937**

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title. **1.** This Act may be called the Bengal Legislative Chambers (Members' Emoluments) Amendment Act, 1944.

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Calcutta. No 5255A 15th November 1944 Mr B N Chakravarty, I C S , Joint Secretary to the Government of Bengal Finance Department, is appointed to act, until further order , with effect from the 1st November 1944, as Secretary to the Government of Bengal in that department, during the absence, on deputation, of Mr R L Walker, C I E , I C S

Calcutta.—No 5266A -15th November 1944 Mr. A Hilary I C S , is appointed to act, until further orders, with effect from the 1st November 1944, as Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Finance Department

Hooghly.—No 5260A -15th November 1944 — Babu Nutbehari Chatarji, Sub-Deputy Magistrate and Sub-Deputy Collector Arambagh, Hooghly, is appointed temporarily to have charge of that subdivision.

Bogra.—No 5274A - 16th November 1944 — Maulvi Faz'ur Rahman, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Bogra, is appointed to act as Magistrate and Collector of that district during the absence, on leave, of Mr Ali Asghar, I C.S , or until further orders.

24-Parganas.—No 5286A.—17th November 1944.—Rai Sambhu Charan Chatarji Bahadur, officiating Additional District Magistrate, 24-Parganas, is appointed to act, in addition to his

Deputy Collector, on leave, is appointed to have charge of the Diamond Harbour subdivision of the 24 Parganas district

Darjeeling.—No 5352A 24th November 1944. The orders of the 24th October 1944, appointing Babu Dhirendra Nath Banarji Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, in the Sadar subdivision of the Darjeeling district, to be a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in the Kurseong subdivision of that district in addition to his duties for the period commencing on the 16th September 1944 and ending on the 2nd October 1944, are cancelled.

Darjeeling.—No 5353A —24th November 1944 —The orders of the 24th October 1944, appointing Babu Dhirendra Nath Banarji, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in the Sadar subdivision of the Darjeeling district, to be a Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector in, and to have charge of, the Kurseong subdivision of the said district, during the absence, on leave, of Mr A. Mitra, I C.S , or until further orders, are cancelled.

Noakhali.—No 5361A —24th November 1944 —Babu Narendra Chandra Kar, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Feni, Noakhali, is appointed to have charge of that subdivision, during the absence, on leave, of Mr. S. Vohra, I C S , or until further orders.

The Bengal Legislative Chambers (Members' Emoluments) Amendment Bill, 1944.

(Clauses 2, 3.)

Substitution of new section for section 3 of Bengal Act II of 1937.

2. (*1*) For section 3 of the Bengal Legislative Chambers (Members' Emoluments) Act, 1937 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), the following section shall be substituted, namely:—

> "3. There shall be paid to each member a salary at the rate of two hundred rupees *per mensem* with effect from the date on which he takes his oath:
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> Salaries.
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> Provided that the salary of any member in respect of any period prior to the first day of January, 1944 shall be paid at the rate of one hundred and fifty rupees *per mensem*."

(*2*) The amendment made by sub-section (*1*) shall be deemed to have been made on and to have effect from the first day of January, 1944.

Amendment of section 4.

3. For sub-clause (*i*) of clause (*a*) of section 4 of the said Act, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

> "(*i*) daily allowance at the rate of fifteen rupees *per diem*:
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> Provided that in respect of any period prior to the commencement of the Bengal Legislative Chambers (Members' Emoluments) Amendment Act, 1944, daily allowance shall be paid at the rate of ten rupees *per diem*,".

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

As the existing rates of salaries and daily allowances of members of the Bengal Legislature have been found to be inadequate, it has been proposed to amend the Bengal Legislative Chambers (Members' Emoluments) Act, 1937 (Ben Act II of 1937) to provide for—

(*a*) the increase of the salaries of such members from Rs 150 to Rs 200 *per mensem*—

(*i*) in the case of members who took their oaths on or before the 1st January, 1944, with effect from the 1st January, 1944, and

(*ii*) in the case of other members, with effect from the date of taking their oaths; and

(*b*) the increase of the daily allowance of such members from Rs. 10 to Rs. 15 with prospective effect.

K. NAZIMUDDIN,
Member-in-charge.

The 29th November, 1944.

By order of the Governor,
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Secy to the Govt. of Bengal.

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afforestation and that the owner is unwilling or unable to cultivate it either with agricultural crops or with grass to the satisfaction of such officer or to afforest it, the Government may by a notification direct the control of such land to be vested in a Regional Forest-officer for the purpose of afforestation for a period to be stated in the notification. The owners of the lands in question will be heard by the Appellate Committee and the recommendations of the Committee will be considered by Government before issuing the notification for taking over the lands for afforestation

The forests of which management are taken over by Government will be termed "vested forests" Provision is made for the amalgamation of several "vested" forests under one working plan for economy in management

After the expiry of 15 years under Government management a vested forest may be restored to the owner on his satisfying the Appellate Committee that there will be no undue risk of detriment to its conservation In any case a vested forest will be handed back to the owner as a matter of course after 30 years

Provision has been made for the grant of loans to any owner of a controlled forest or of a vested forest who in the opinion of the Appellate Committee is likely to suffer unduly owing to any temporary reduction of his income which may result from the adoption of a working plan

The cost of Regional staff for the first ten years will be borne by Government and afterwards a cess will be levied to cover it It has been estimated that if all the forests in Western Bengal paid cess, the incidence would be 1 to 1½ annas per acre per annum Exemption from the payment of cess will be made in deserving cases

The existing sections 35, 36, 37 and 38 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927, have been repealed and provisions similar to those contained in the existing section 38 have been included in the proposed Bill to enable Government to take over forests and waste lands at the request of the owners for their management as vested forests.

The 10th November, 1944.

PREMHARI BARMA, *Member-in-charge.*

By order of the Governor,
S. N. MUKERJEE, Secy.

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